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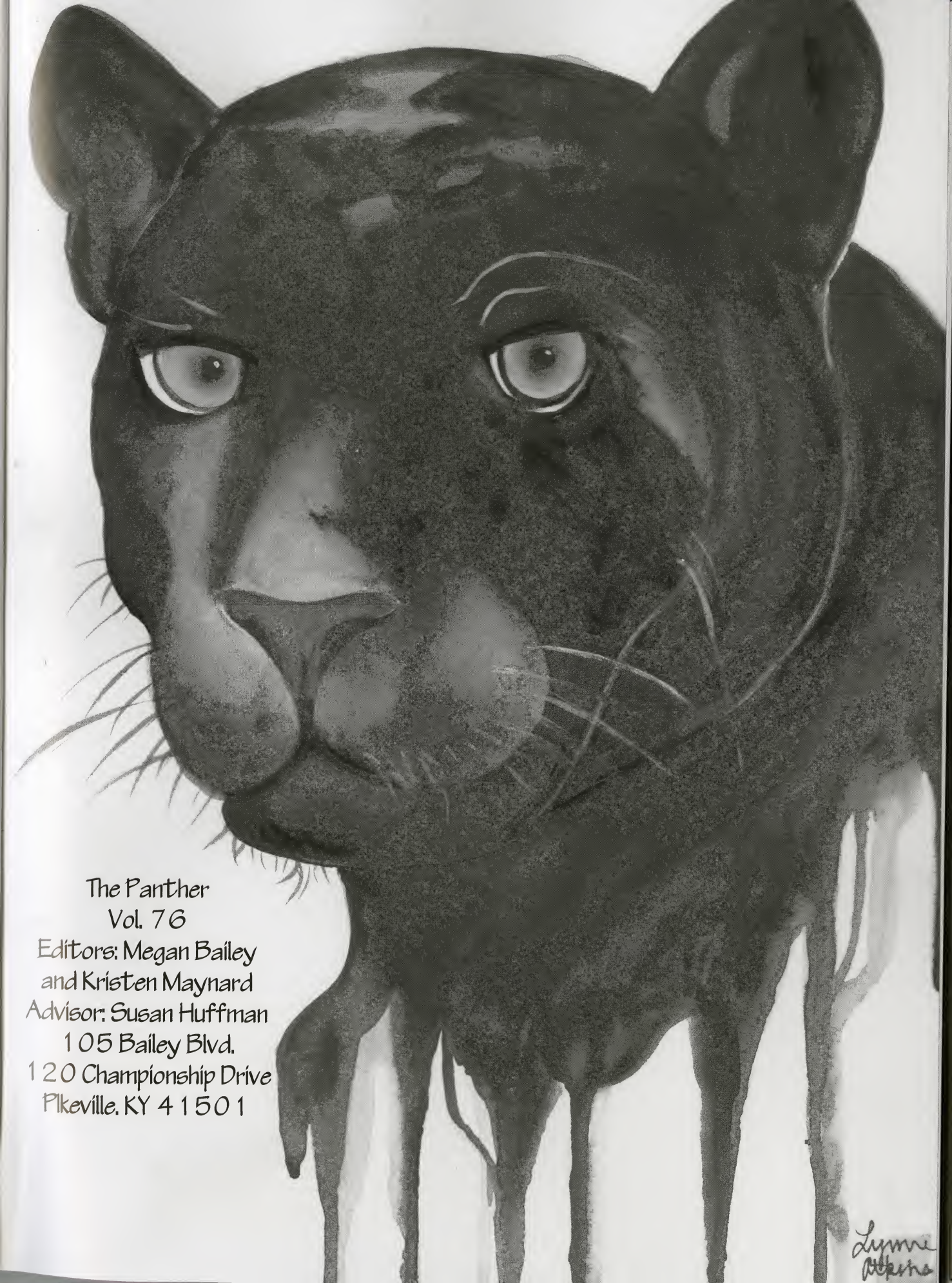

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Summertime...the Fun

Photos are proof that students know how to savor every minute of summer. There is definitely no room for boredom.

It is the ideal time to do unique, adventurous, and inspiring activities with family and friends, to relax and recharge. What was on your bucket list this summer?

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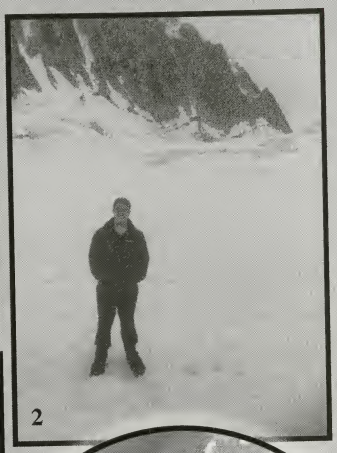
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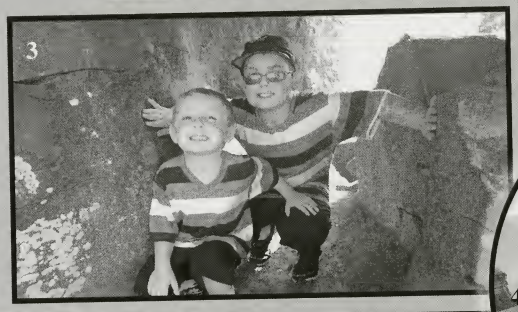
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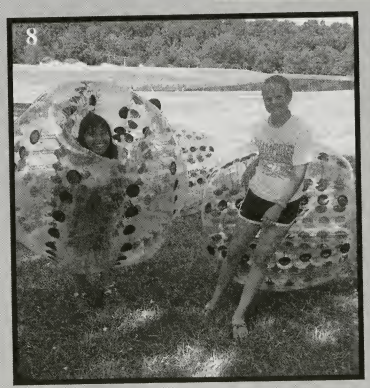
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1) **Tori Brown** spent a quiet moment with Corajes Maximus "Max" in the warm-up arena before a class at the Kentucky Paso Fino Horse Show. 2) Known for its diverse terrain of open spaces, mountains, and forests, **Kolby Ratliff** and his parents enjoyed a week in Alaska. 3) **Noah Lowe** and **Isaiah Lowe** experienced the incredible history of the battlefield at the Gettysburg National Military Park. 4) **Micah** and **Josie Clevinger** discovered the dolphins, impressive reef system, and Myan ruins while vacationing at Cozumel, a Mexican island in the Caribbean. 5) In support of Locks of Love, **Makenzie Blankenship** donated several inches of her hair to the non-profit organization that provides hairpieces to financially disadvantged children. 6) College baseball's biggest fans, **Hannah Potter** and **Kaitlyn Damron**, enjoyed the College Baseball World Series at TD Ameritrade Park in Omaha, NB. 7) The falconry experience at Dromoland Castle, Ireland, offered **Ian Onkst** a uinque opportunity for an interactive demonstration featuring hawks, falcons, and a Golden Eagle. 8) Outfitted in inflatable bubble gear, **Aliyah Dotson** and **Olivia Hall** prepared for knocker ball adventure at Crossings - Cedarmore Camp. 9) Summertime fun began for **Kara Lee, Kylee Jones, Tausha Justice,** and **Drew Hurley** on the last day of school. Friends gathered at the Lee's home for pizza and swimming. (10) Preparing for a jet ski adventure, **Lynne Atkins, Megan Bailey, Kerrigan McPeek,** and **Sydney May** take to the water at Douglas Lake.

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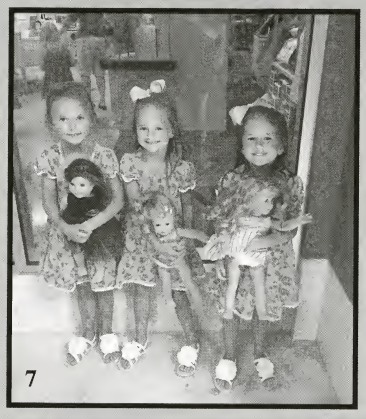
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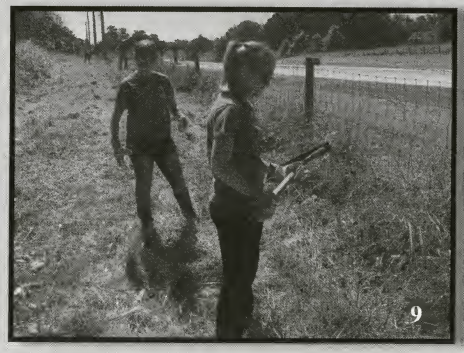
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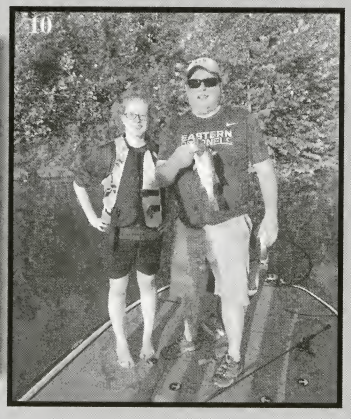
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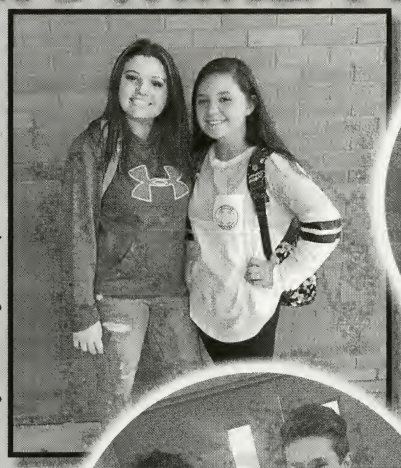
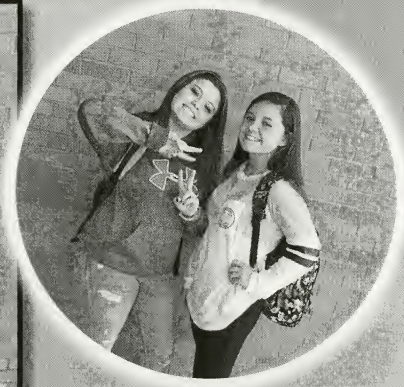
1) It may not be Mother's Day, but you never need an excuse to take a trip wtih your mom. **Alexis Stanley, Cassidy Lowe,** and their mothers enjoyed a week in New York City. 2) During their trip to Gulf Shores, Alabama, **Kristen** and **Clay**, along with the rest of the Maynard family, explored the World War II battle ship, the USS Alabama. 3) From big thrills to little thrills, King's Island has it all! **Rebecca Hall** (left) and her cousin had their faces painted after entering the park. 4) Ashland, the Henry Clay Estate in Lexington, was one of several field trips that **Trey Grant** and others in the Governor's Scholars Program at Morehead participated in. 5) There's nothing like summer for riding bikes! **Ian Justice** clocked serious mileage on a daily basis. 6) **Nate Campoy** showed off his catch, a five pound bass from the lake at Triple J Farm in Johnson County. 7) Visiting the American Girl Place, located in the Chicago landmark Water Tower Place, was a memorable event for **Molly, Brinley, and Piper Justice.** 8) The basketball courts in Venice Beach, Los Angeles, CA, are renowned for their high level of street ball. While visiting family there, **Jose Childers** worked on his game. 9) **Abby Smart, Carmen Hall,** and other members in their youth group spent a week volunteering their time at the Ky. United Methodist Home for Children. 10) **Callie Leisure** and her family love getting back to nature once the school year ends. Their summer months at Jenny Wiley State Resort Park were filled with fishing, hiking, and relaxing by the campfire.

Sugar & Spice & Everything Nice...

Discovering your doppelganger has become something of a trend recently; however, Pikeville students didn't have to go to Facebook to find their twin. Instead, they looked no further than the hallways at PHS.





Katelyn McCoy & Sophie Elswick

Savannah Peterson & Jenna Leisure

Colin Street & Jacob Burgess

Lindsey McNamee & Jacob Wilkerson

Rachel Bowman & Rily Tavis

William Fleniken & Cody Ratliff

Corbin Garrison & Manuel Andres

Kelsie Adams & Mattie Crum

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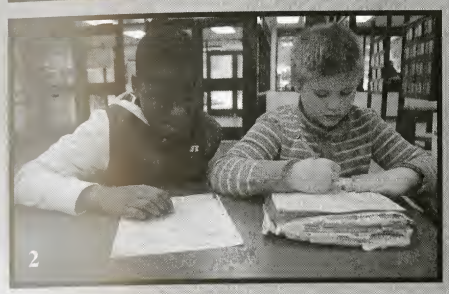
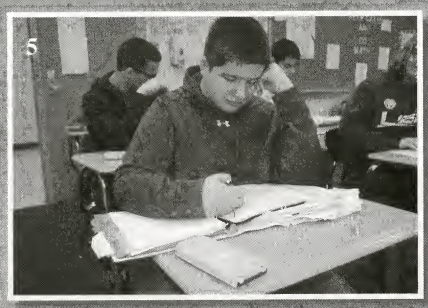
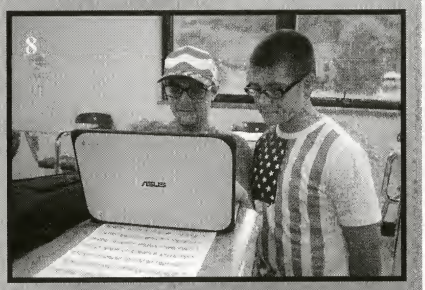
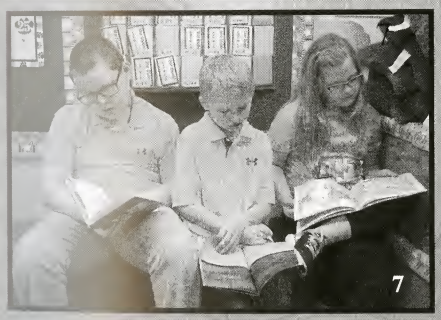
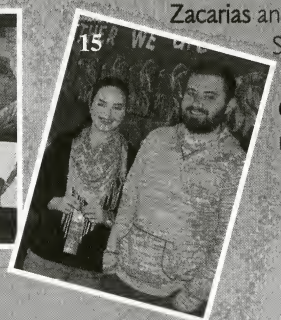
Oh Gosh! It Happened Twice









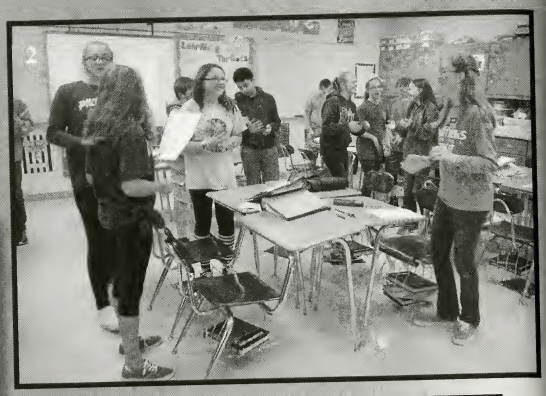


1) Kentucky Youth Assembly (KYA), a three-day event in the fall, gave **Emily Crum, Madhu Ammisetty, Caleb Scott, Cami Gaunt, Tiffany Lin,** and **Jackson Holland** the opportunity to participate directly in the Commonweath's democratic process. 2) Fossils of the Future! Fourth graders **James Jargba** and **Jesse Adams** discovered how fossils are useful in learning about past organisms and their environment. 3) Seventh grade percussionists **Bryce Hamilton** and **Caleb Cole** prepare for their spring concert. 4) **Hailey Wise, Kaylee Wells, Mason Ward, Griffin Harris,** and **Jacob Justice** created a skit promoting the fun and adventure of 4-H camp. 5) Getting the day's instruction started,**Tanner Skeens** completes the assigned ACT bell work. 6) Author **Abrial Reed** and illustrator **Kaila Zacarias** display a copy of Read's book entitled "Inside Outside: The story of Myself," during the FIRE Summit held at the EXPO Center on April 12.

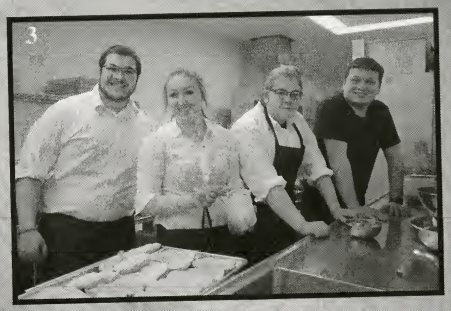
7) Acclerated Reader is a popular reading program that encourages students to read independently, at their own level and pace. **Ian Justice, Ricky Slone,** and **Emily Nunn** found a quiet corner in Mrs. Linda Huffman's room to read. 8) **Devin Bartley** and **Bryce Hamilton** research genres of percussion music. 9) By working with **Mrs. Brewer, Zane Osborne-Owens** has a better understanding of fractions so he will be more successful in his fraction interactions! 10) Fine Arts students explored the Biltmore Estate, American's largest, privately owned mansion, in Asheville, North Carolina. (11 - 15) The art program participated in the Kentucky Arts Education Regional Art Show at Morehead on March 16. Those who placed were **Britney Hopkins** - 2nd photography; **Lynne Atkins** - 2nd mixed media; **Dalton Justice** - 2nd jewelry making; **Alicia Zacarias** and **Trey Grant** - Best in Show; **Paige Workman** - 1st fiber and textiles; and **Jay Compton** - honorable mention graphic design.

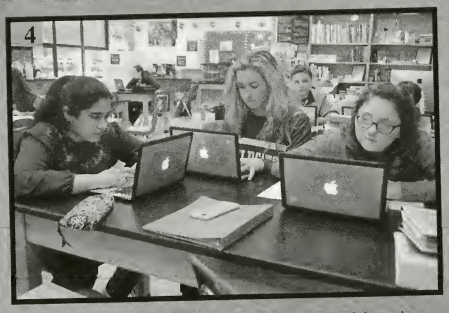
Active Learning in the Classroom

Active learning helps create an excitement and engagement in the classroom, which helps build a desire to gain more knowledge. Students at PHS participate in the process of learning, whether it's through discussion, practice, or review.

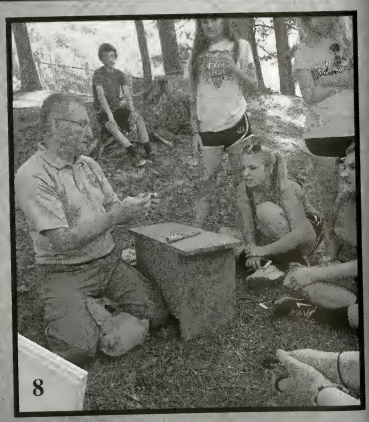


1) **Kirsten Cole** and **Hannah Edmonds** had fun with origami, an Asian paper-folding art form, by creating different projects. 2) **Mrs. McNamee** introduced a fun way to learn fractions, Fraction Rap. The engaging song gives students a better understanding of fractions and how to use them in basic math functions.

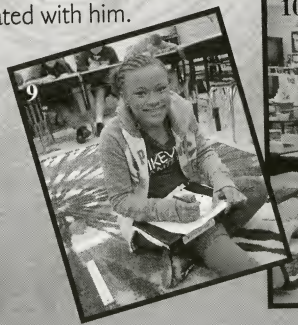


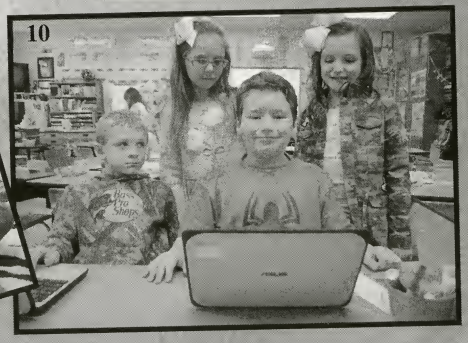


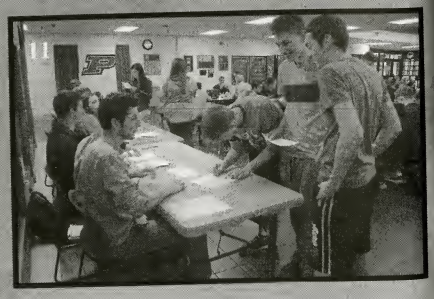
3) Pikeville Independent Board members were treated to a special menu prepared by the cooking team. **Devin Gayheart, Sydney Sampson, Daniel Tritschler, and Zane Akers** served Ba'nh mi sandwiches, cauliflower fried rice, and a fruit salad. 4) Before presenting their project, **Anaya Ali, Hannah Akers,** and **Lexie Blackburn** researched the behavior and physical characteristics that enable organisms to live successfully in their environment. 5) Capturing the lastest news at PHS is **Dalton Justice, Brooklyn Newsome, Rebecca Clark,** and **Sydney May**. 6) The East Side Greasers are "outsiders" to the West side of town. **Alex Ross, Kyleigh Herald, Xavier Cantrell, Asheton Godsey, Jacob Justice,** and **Courtney Roberts** aren't afraid of the Socs, their rival gang.



7) MobyMax, an online resource for math, language, and reading, has **Ryan Bales** captivated. 8) A state biologist with the Kentucky Department of Fish and Wildlife talked to AP Biology students about the migration and conservation of birds. 9) The art of problem solving! **Mikayla Hamp** works on reconstructing triangles. 10) **Wallace Taylor** was proud of his score after answering 40 problems in 3 1/2 minutes through the Math Facts in a Flash program. His friends **Landon Combs, Miley Hall,** and **Alex Riddell** celebrated with him.







11) Students cast their ballots in a mock election for candidates running for local, state, and national positions.

Celebrating the Holidays

HALLOWEEN

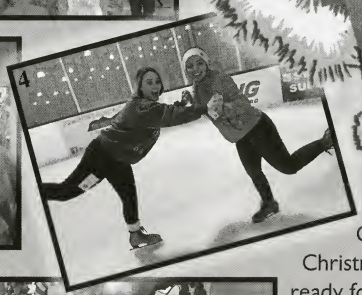
1) It was a graveyard smash! **Kennadee Potter, Isabelle Rose, Cassidy Slater, Caroline Wright, Allie Stapleton,** and **Hadley Gayheart** did the mash; it was caught on flash! (2) Someone call a doctor! Trump may be sick... or is he? **Jackson Mullins** and **Benjamin Mullins** are ready for an eerie evening. (3) M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E! It's Mickey and Minnie's Clubhouse as **Tiffany Lin** and **Jackson Holland** enjoy a frightful Halloween. (4) What causes a doctor and a detective to team up on Halloween? Mystery, of course! **Dylan Street** and **Kamron Casebolt** are ready to tackle any ghoulish fiends in their paths. (5) Oh "deer!" It's Halloween. **Josie Clevinger, Isabella Justice,** and **Micah Clevinger** dress as their favorite characters. (6) Clowning around on Halloween! **Allison Baird** and **Margaret Baird,** with little brother, **Silas,** take on the streets for Trick or Treat. (7) "Two things and I call them Thing 1 and Thing 2!" or should I say **Angela Thacker** and **Rebecca Prater**? (8) What a spooktacular sight as **Ms. Hall** and **Ms. Sandy's** kindergarten class enjoys their Halloween party.

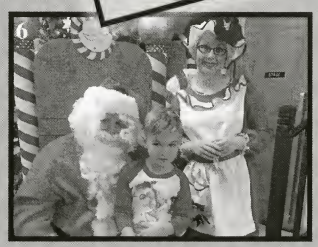
Thanksgiving

(9) Bam! **Josh Hughes** channels his inner Emeril Logasse as he helps prepare a Thanksgiving feast. (10) Oh no, Cinderella, aka **Sydney May**! Your carriage has turned back to a pumpkin, but just in time for holiday pie. (11) Elf on the Shelf has **El Johns** and **Abby Johns** up to mischief in the kitchen. (12) Beach side turkey is on the menu for the Blackburn family. **Lauren, Lucas,** and their mom celebrate with family in Florida.

Christmas

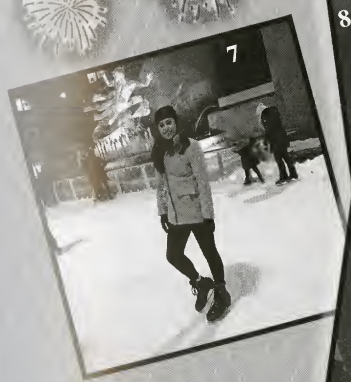
Celebrating the seasons and holidays is a great opportunity to embrance family and friends. These are times you'll refer to throughout the year, and again year after year, as you celebrate the changing of the sesasons, establish family traditions, and make memories together.





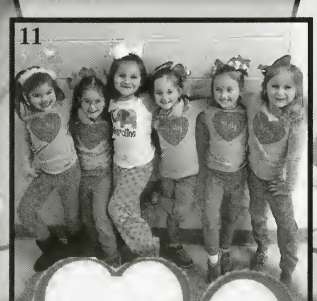
(1) Ugly Christmas sweaters didn't stop the girls basketball team from celebrating a "slam dunk" bonding Christmas party. (2) "Rocking around the Christmas tree!" **Ryan Crum** and **Emily Crum** are ready for a celebration. (3) "You'll shoot your eye out, Ralphie!" **Jason Lin** discusses his Christmas list with Santa. (4) **Mattie Allara** and **Lyndsie Bartley** skate in the holiday season. (5) **Kassidy Caudill** shows her brothers love as they pose in front of their Christmas tree. (6) Naughty or nice? **Cannon Gayheart** snuggles up to Mr. and Mrs. Claus.

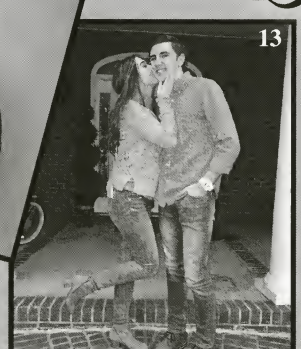
New Years



(7) Before ringing in the New Year, **Bethany Smith** strikes a pose on ice. (8) What causes **Josh Williams** and **Lyndsey Newsome** to wear their sun glasses at night? The 2017 New Year, of course! (9) Five, four, three, two, one! "Happy New Year" from **Isaac McNamee** and **Wade Hensley!**

Valentine's Day

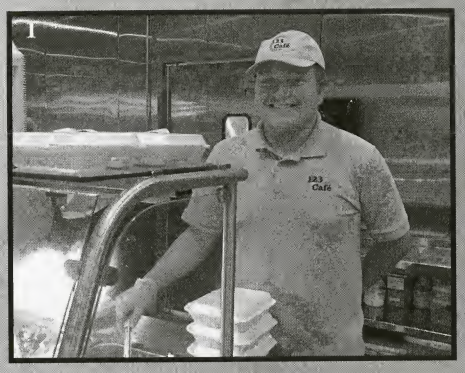


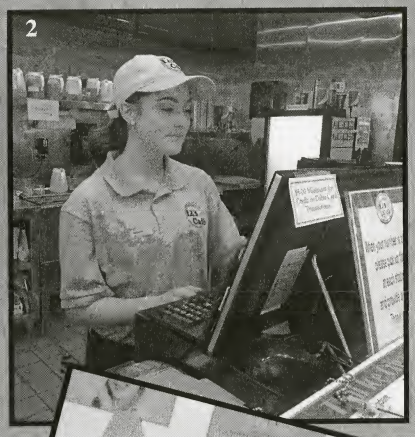


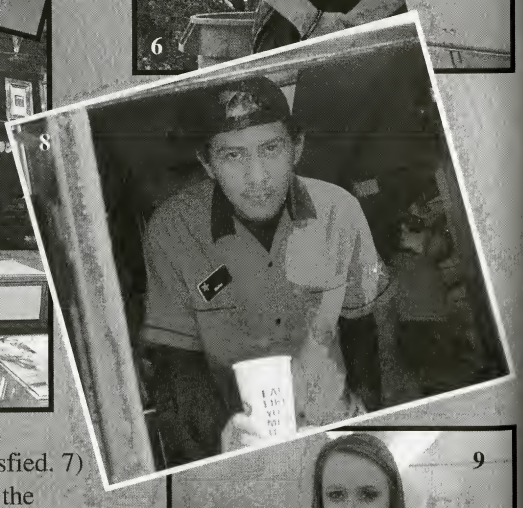
(10) **Brianna's** Valentine's Day was "stuffed" with all things sweet. (11) Overloaded with sweetness, **Hadley, Piper, Caroline, Brinley, Piper,** and **Sydney** show off their pajamas for Valentine's Day. (12) Roses are red, violets are blue, **Alyssa Francis** takes a cute picture, yes, you do! (13) Showing their love on Valentine's Day, **Taylor Johns** and **Jonathan Ray** get a little close.

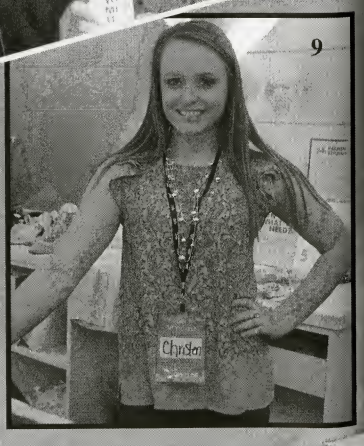
Making the Money

Students Work Part-time

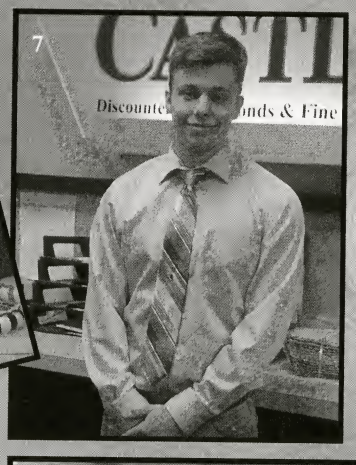








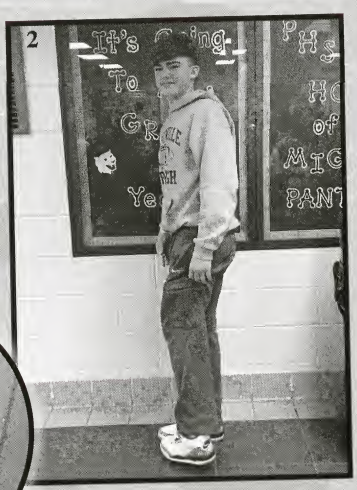
1&2) Everybody loves the place, *123 Cafe*! Whether Asian cuisine or Hibachi, **Zane Akers** and **Micah Clevinger** are ready to take your order. 3) Offering services for any occassion - weddings, dances, and pageant wear, *Unique Boutique* and **Brianna Akers** will find the perfect dress or tux for you. 4) A natural looking tan or a place to wash your clothes, *Tropical Isle Tanning Salon-Baywash Coin Laundry* has everything you'll need under one roof. **Devin Gayheart** can point you in the right direction. 5) Need make-up or skin care advice? Visit *Ulta* and **Kennedy Keeys** can introduce you to the world of beauty. 6) Give your vehicle the sparkling finish it deserves at *Suds Car Wash*. **Ben Greenhill** will make sure you leave the lot satisfied. 7) *Castle's Jewelry and Gifts* offers customers a wide range of designs to celebrate the important moments in their lives. **Leah Vanderbeck** can make the selection process much easier for you. 8) Welcome to *Hardee's*! Known for their fried chicken, big burgers, and made-from-scratch biscuits, **Stefon Horton** is ready with your order. 9) **Christen Ousley** says,"Shop *Justice* for the cutest and most on-trend styles in tween girls clothing.



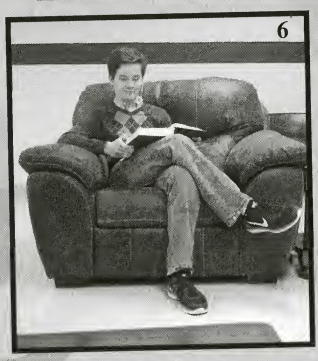
1&2) "Can I take your order?" **Mason Hess, Makenzie Maynard,** and **Kenzi Lee** suggest *Tudor's Biscuit World's* signature biscuits and other American classics from breakfast to dinner. (3&4) **Ja'Mesa Honaker, Kennedy Anderson,** and **Alyssa Francis** greet their customers with a smile as they check out at Food City. 5) Eat wings, watch sports, and hang out with friends. **Christy Hunter** suggests the hand-spun wings with one of *Buffalo Wild Wings'* signature sauces. 6) You can't go wrong with a visit to *Tammy's Corner*. For a unique shopping experience, **Phoebe Thornbury** can find the perfect gift for you. (7) Discover something beautiful at *The Castle*. **Jonathan Compton** will make sure you don't miss the opportunity to show someone that you care. 8) **Kenzi Hale** encourages customers to be a one-of-a kind original by creatively mixing flavors for a unique yogurt creation at *Orange Leaf*. 9&10) Standing behind the slogan "Legendary Food, Legendary Service," **Catie Rowe, Jaggar Stiltner,** and **Gunner Edmonds** assure customers at *Texas Roadhouse* that the hand-cut steaks and famous yeast rolls will bring them back every week.

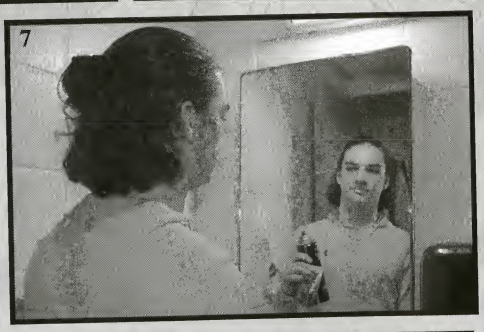
10 SIGNS HE'S NOT THE ONE

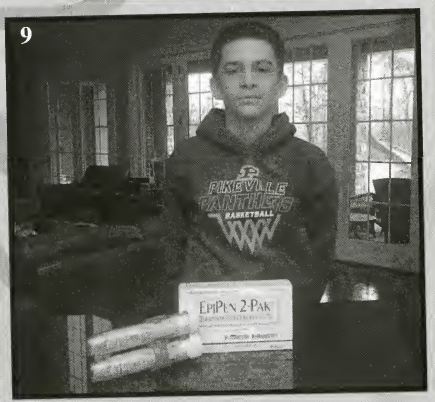
Different hobbies, likes, and sometimes even dislikes shape each individuals' personality at Pikeville High School. However, some personalities might clash if you two are not into the same likes and dislikes.

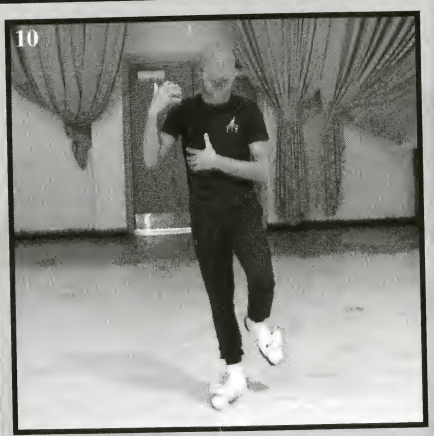


(1) Watch out! The "steaks" would be raised as **Colin Elder** would always outcook you in the kitchen. All you "knead" is love, Colin. (2) Don't step on **Griffin Harris'** blue suede shoes! You can't date a boy who likes shoes more than you. (3) Yikes! No ketchup, you say? While dating **Gunner Edmonds,** anything with ketchup would be off limits. (4) He's gone! He's gone, girl. **Harrison Booher** might be a hard catch. (5) "No thangs in Mustangs," says **Noah Little.** Gotta get a boy with the Panther spirit! (6) If you ever want to win an argument, you can't date a genius like **Paul Keaton.** (7) Mirror, mirror on the wall, whose hair is the fairest of them all? Wouldn't be you because **Jackson Hensley** stays in front of the mirror to fix his luscious locks. (8) Forget adventure! **Caleb Sackman** will always be sleeping and maybe even snoring... too loudly. (9) "Atchu!" Forget quiet movies during allergy season. **Brandon Lowe** is allergic to everything. (10) We know when that hotline blings it could only mean that when **Christian Billiter** gets a call, he will be dancing to the ringtone.









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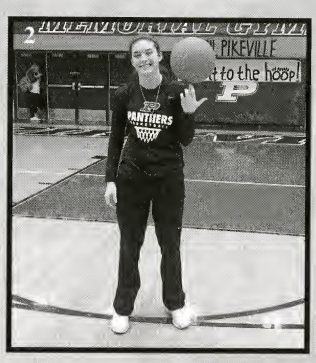
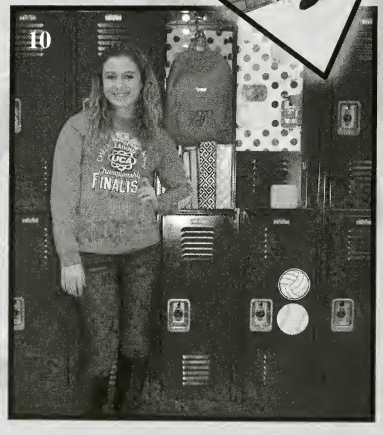


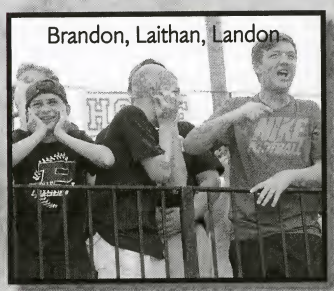


1) Can't take a joke? Well, count **Alicia Zacarias** out. She is always sharing amusing stories. (2) She shoots! She scores! **Grace Bartley** would always be more athletic than you. (3) Are you worried about being left on read or hate long replies? **Rachel Ratliff** might leave her phone at home while she's cruising the hills on her dirt bike. (4) No dinner dates for you, boy. Dating **Lindsey McNamee** will result in meal prepping and lifting. (5) No drama from your mama, or **Emily Hager**. She likes more drama in her lashes...we hope. (6) Sorry boys, **Elizabeth Brown** can't hang tonight. She has gymnastics; her top priority is tumbling. (7) It's showtime for **Hannah Auton**. Late nights at Jenny Wiley have paid off. You may never know if she's being serious or acting. (8) Did you say 'bunnies'? If you are ever on a road trip with **Tori Gayheart** you might be taking home every animal you see. (9) Better keep things quiet. **Thearose Jerrell** will always enjoy a great page turner. (10) No mess ups with **Hannah Akers.** She likes everything neat and tidy, even her locker.

Get up, get up! Get on your feet! We are the Panthers...

Students at PHS are bonded by their love for the Maroon. School spirit is a color at Pikeville, and it is easy to see on fans on game days cheering on the Panthers.

This overwhelming energy unites everyone in the stands, all working toward one goal - to show the team, no matter the sport, that 'we can't be beat!'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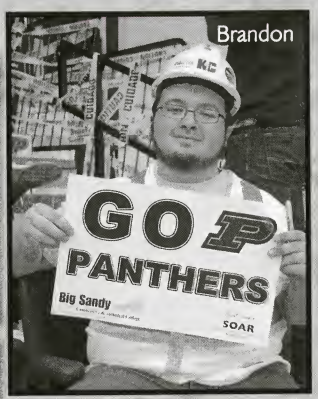

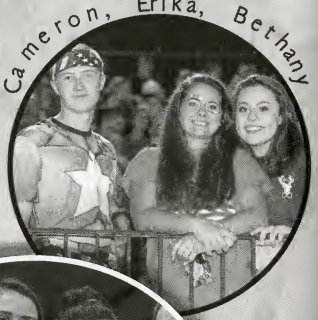
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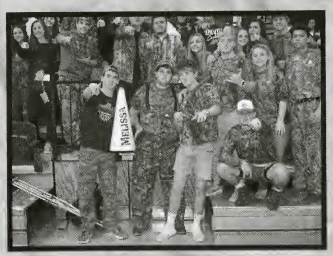

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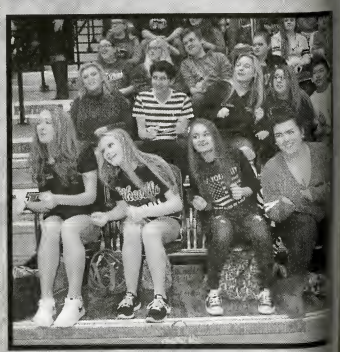

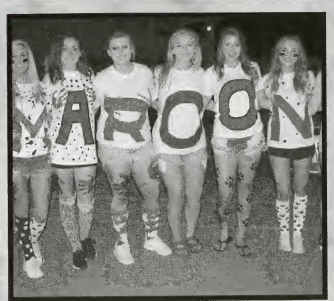

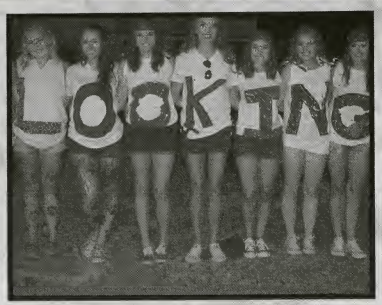

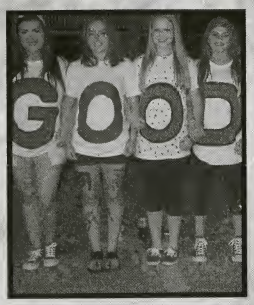

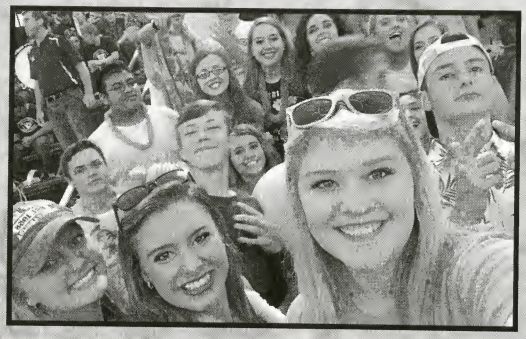

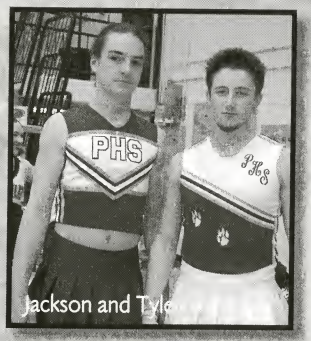

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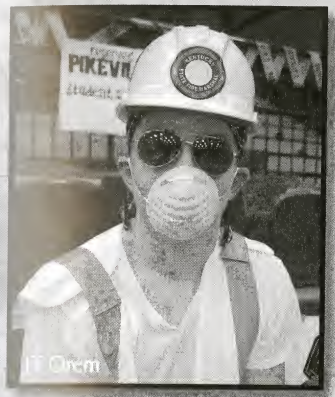

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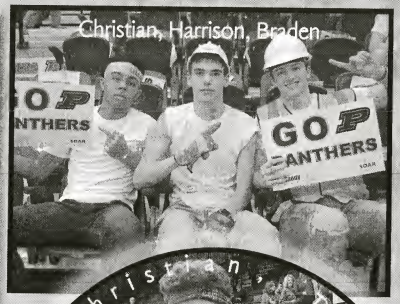

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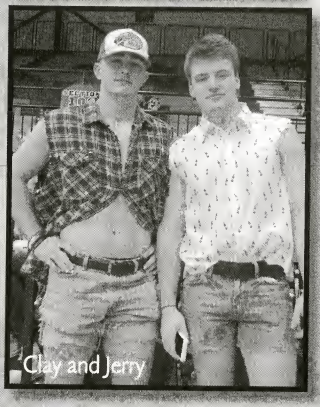
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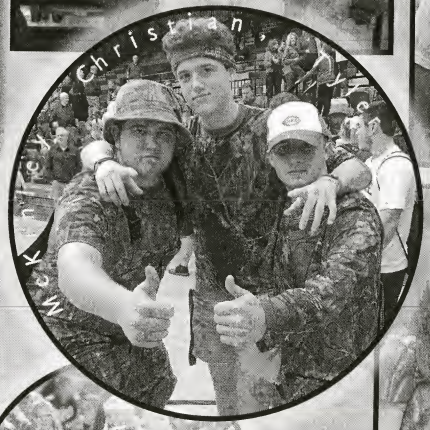
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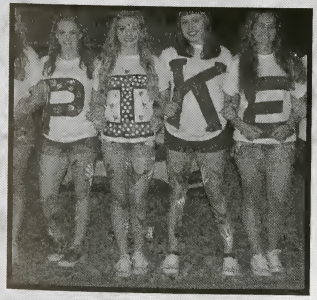

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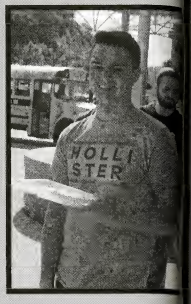
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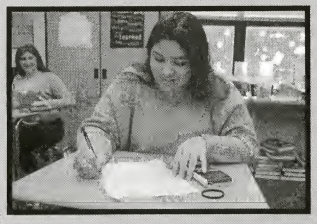

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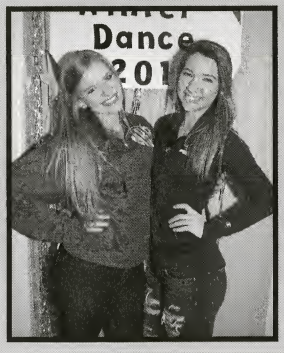
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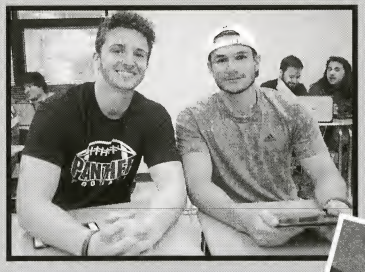

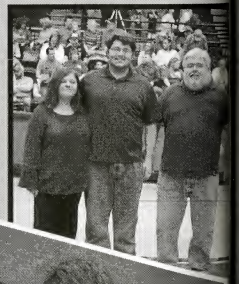

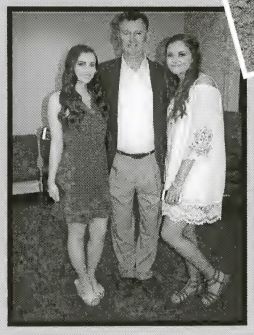

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Treasurer: Megan Bailey

Sergeant at Arms: Lynne Atkins & Emily Hughes

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Class of 2017

"When you can't make them see the light, make them feel the heat."

-Ronald Reagan

James Cameron Alley

"How lucky I am to have something that makes saying goodbye so hard."

-Winnie the Pooh

Patricia Lynne Atkins

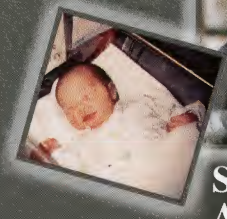
"Be true to yourself, help others, make each day your masterpiece, make friendship a fine art, drink deeply from good books- especially the Bible, build a shelter against a rainy day, give thanks for your blessings, and pray for guidance every day."

Hannah Elizabeth Auton

"Chase your dreams, but always know the road that will lead you home again."

-Tim McGraw

Megan Ann Bailey



"I guess I have a little bit of an ego. I'm confidently cocky, you might say."

-Connor McGregor

Samuel Charles Antonio Bartley

"Bea b out c ya."

Allison Rae Beatrice Blackburn

"Take pride in how far you have come and have faith in how far you can go."

Lauren Michele Blackburn

"No matter what happens in life, be good to people. Being good to people is a wonderful legacy to leave behind."

-Taylor Swift

Rachael Mae Brooke Blackburn

"Man, we sure did learn a lot in that Walmart parking lot."

Kendra Shaye Bowman

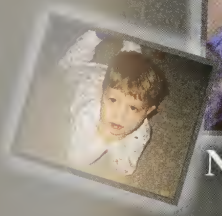
"Once in awhile someone amazing comes along...and here I am."

-Tigger

Molly Skylar Blaze Branham

"Everything's due in time."

Matthew Chase Brooks



"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in awhile you could miss it."

-Ferris Bueller

Nathan Alexander Campoy

"The meaning of life is to find your gift. The purpose of life is to give it away."

-William Shakespeare

Kassidy Kathryn Caudill

"Never forget whose you are (you're a child of God). Never forget who you are. Never forget your dreams and goals. Never let anyone intimidate you from chasing your dreams."

Derek Blake Charles

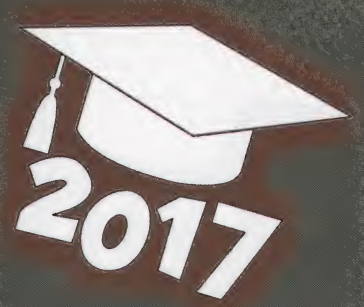
"The greatest risk any of us will take is to be seen as we are."

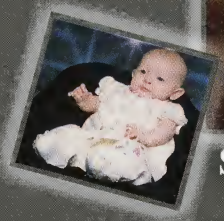
-Cinderella

Rebecca Lynn Clark

"You're gonna miss this. You're gonna want this back. You're gonna wish these days hadn't gone by so fast."

Brandon Lee Cole





Selena Monique Coleman

"It is better to be hated for what you are than to be loved for what you are not."

-Marilyn Monroe

McKenna Hope Collins

"Often when you think you're at the end of something, you're at the beginning of something else."

-Fred Rogers

Tyler George David Collins

"Whatever you are, be a good one."

-Abraham Lincoln

James Nathan Collum

"Counter, bootley, reverse, screen."

-Paul Sullivan

James Gregory Compton

"Life moves pretty fast. If you don't stop and look around once in a while, you could miss it."

-Ferris Bueller

Jonathan Tyler Compton

"Be grateful with everything you have and you will be successful in everything you do."

-Conor McGregor

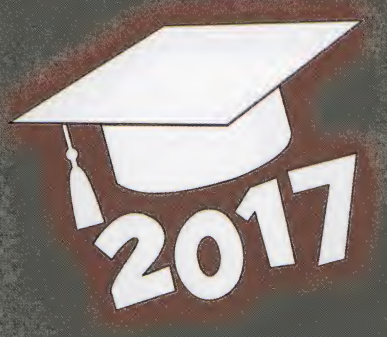
Erika Tenille Conn

"So make your wish. Do you have it? Good. Now believe in it. With all your heart."

Aaron Ryan Crum

"You have to do everything you can; you have to work your hardest; and if you stay postive you have a shot at a silver lining."

-Silver Linings Playbook



Alexa Shaye Damron

"For beautiful eyes, look for the good in others; for beautiful lips, speak only words of kindness, and for poise, walk with the knowledge that you are never alone."

"Dream as if you'll live forever, live as if you'll die today."

-Lebron James

Cody Randall Dials

"I was never that great at math, but next to nothing is higher than nothing, right?

-Dr. House

Gunner Cole Edmonds

"Go confidently in the direction of your dreams. Live the life you have imagined."

-Henry David Thoreau

Colin Michael Elder

"Life's a garden, dig it."

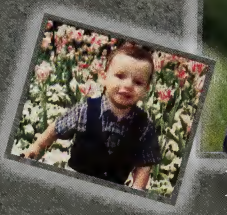
-Joe Dirt

Tyler Kade Elkins

"Tale as old as time."

-Mrs. Potts

Alyssa Ann Francis



"Winter is coming."

-Game of Thrones

Ethan Blake Francis

"Valar Morghulis."

-Game of Thrones

Devin Michael Gayheart

"Kindness is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see."

-Mark Twain

Caleb Aughty Gibson

"In life it's important to remember to judge someone by their actions, not by their appearance or the past."

Canaan Michael Godsey

Trey Donovan Grant

"I'm shook."

Jerry Terrell Green III

"It's not the length of life, but the depth."

-Anonymous

Carmen Renee Hall

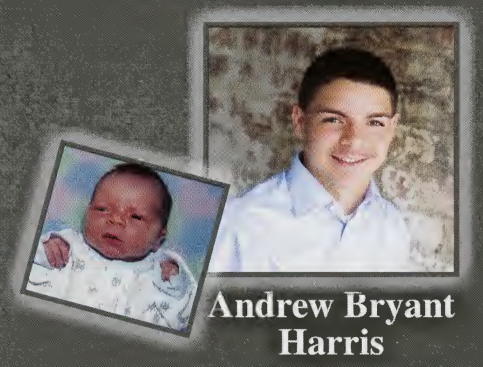
"It is our choices that show what we really are, far more than our abilities."

-Harry Potter

Samuel Peyton Hamilton

"If you want something you never had, you've got to do something you've never done."

-Drina Reed



Andrew Bryant Harris

"If you believe in yourself and have dedication and pride- and never quit- you'll be a winner. The price of victory is high but so are the rewards."

-Paul "Bear" Bryant

Cody Bryan Harris

"I'm just here so I won't get fired."

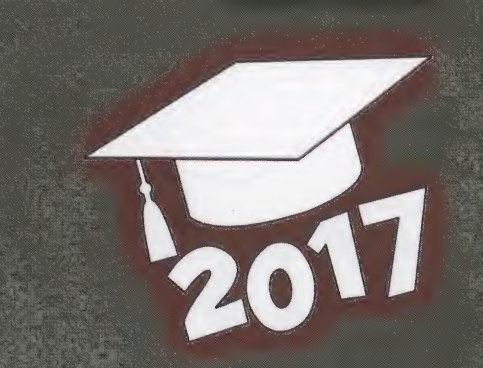
Jimmy Austin Blake Harris

"The person with big dreams is more powerful than one with all the facts."

-H. Jackson Brown, Jr.

William Quinn Helfen

"Never let the things you want make you forget the things you have."



Jonathan Nash Holbrook

"It's not about the destination, it's about the journey."

"We can't plan life. All we can do is be available for it."

-Lauryn Hill

Ja'Mesa Quinn Honaker

"If you don't have a little sadness in your life, you don't know when the happy times are."

-Bob Ross

Hannah Nicole Hopkins

"The things that make me different are the things that make me ME."

-Piglet

Emily Michelle Hughes

Vincent Van Gogh. Everyone told him, "You only have one ear. You cannot be a great artist." And you know what he said? "I can't hear you."

Christy Ann Hunter

"I beleive in being strong when everything seems to be going wrong. I believe that happy girls are the prettiest girls. I believe that tomorrow is another day, and I believe in miracles."

-Audrey Hepburn

Taylor Mckenzie Johns

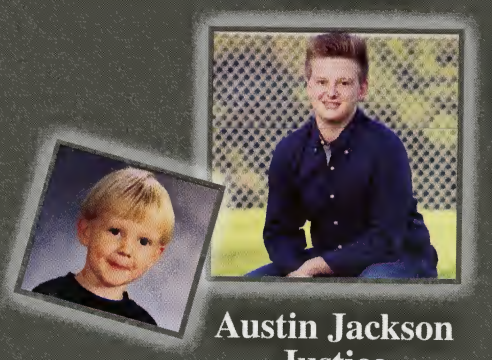
"You always have time to buy a car...but you don't have time to buy a monkey."

-Christian Johnson

Christian Terrell Johnson

"Dear Past, thank you for all the lessons. Dear Future, I'm now ready."

Keaton Ryan Jones



"Wise beyond my years, way behind my peak."

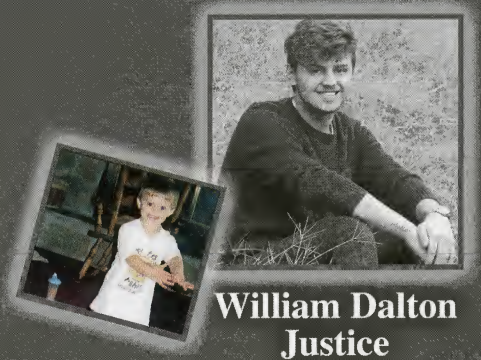
-Chance the Rapper

Austin Jackson Justice

"We have to dance it out. That's how we finish."

-Cristina Yang

Sylvia Quinn Justice



William Dalton Justice

"People will forget what you said, people will forget what you did, but people will never forget how you made them feel."

-Maya Angelou

Emily Anne Keaton

"Commit your work to the LORD, and your plans will be established."

-Proverbs 16:3

Kennedy Nicole Keeys

"And above all, watch with glittering eyes the whole world around you because the greatest secrets are always hidden in the most unlikely places. Those who don't believe in magic will never find it."

-Roald Dahl

Anthony Braden Kendall

"I don't know how to put this, but I'm kind of a big deal. People know me. I'm very important. I have many leather-bound books and my apartment smells of rich mahogany."

-Ron Burgundy

Shelby Alexis Kennard

"Well, the years start coming and they don't stop coming and they don't stop coming and they don't stop coming..."

Cameron Bailey Lane

"You can think I'm wrong, but that's no reason to quit thinking."

-Greg House

Ashley Michelle Leathers

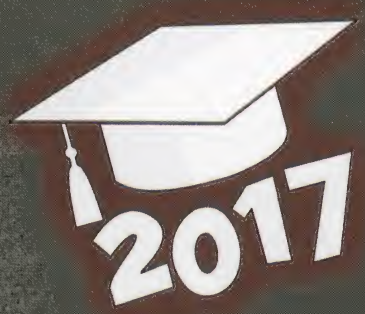
"It always seems impossible until it's done."

-Nelson Mandela

Callie Reanna Leisure

"Slowly learning that life is ok."

-Take On Me by A-Ha



Alexis Paige Lewis

"Be fearless in the pursuit of what sets your soul on fire."

Savannah Marie Little

"We do not need magic to change the world; we carry all the power we need inside ourselves already. We have the power to imagine better."

Kyle David Martin

"If something happens to you, just roll with it. You never know what adventures life will take you on."

Sydney Blaire May

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart; do not depend on your own understanding; seek His will in all you do, and He will show you which path to take."

-Proverbs 3: 5-6

Kristen Rebecca Maynard

"But those who hope in the Lord will renew their strength, they will soar on wings like eagles, they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint."

-Isaiah 40:31

Kevin Michael McDonald

"Isn't it funny how day by day nothing changes, but when you look back everything is different."

-C.S. Lewis

Braxton Stephen McKee

"In the games I've played in, our record is 38-1, just saying."

-#70

Andrew Christopher McNamee

"Would I rather be feared or loved? Easy. Both. I want people to be afraid of how much they love me."

-Michael Scott

Kerrigan Ann McPeek

"And if you get the choice to sit it out or dance...I hope you dance."

-Lee Ann Womack

Austin Taz Mullins

"You can find me where the sky touches the sea."

-Unknown

Samuel Floyd Carlos Musgrave

"Don't stop. Don't hesitate. You can't be scared of what's next. Do not let fear get in your way."

Brooklyn Cate Newsome

"The most important thing is to enjoy your life-to be happy-it's all that matters."

-Audrey Hepburn

Savanna Noel Nunemaker

"We didn't know we were making memories; we just knew we were having fun."

-Winnie the Pooh

Christen Lashae Ousley

"Never forget where you came from. It's what made you the person you are today."

Jessica Lauren Osborne

"You're braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think."

-Winnie the Pooh

Cheyenne Michelle Phillips

"Being like everybody is the same as being nobody."

-Rod Serling

Halie Elizabeth Ramsey

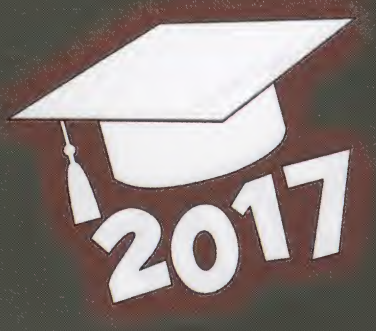
"All we have to decide is what to do with the time that is given to us."

-J.R.R. Tolkien

Kolby Chase Ratliff

"Humankind cannot gain anything without first giving something. To obtain something of equal value must be lost."

-Alphonse Elric



Silas William Cody Ratliff

"Don't be mad cause I'm doin' me better than you doin' you."

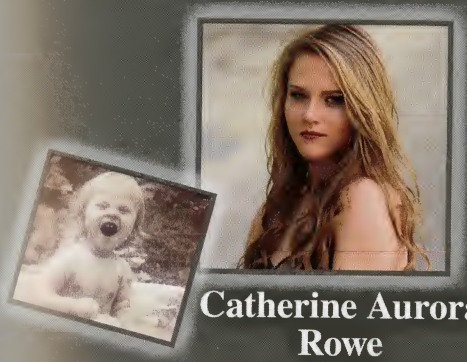
-Childish Gambino

"Every morning you have two choices: continue to sleep with your dreams or wake up and chase them."

Jonathan Virgil Ray

"Hate to see you leave, but love to watch you go."

Connor McKinley Risner



"Sometimes you get to what you thought was the end and you find it's a whole new beginnig."

-Anne Tyler

Catherine Aurora Rowe

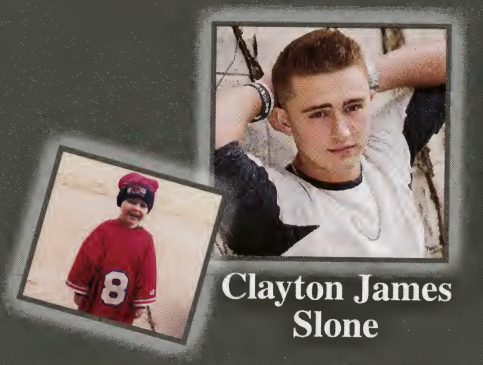
"If at first you don't succeed, lower your expectations."

Caleb Austin Sackmann

"Hey guys, you ready to let the dogs out?"

-Alan Garner "Hangover"

Austin Gregory Salyer



"What am I supposed to do with all my great ideas? Put 'em in a tub and clean myself with them? That's what soap is for, Lois."

-Peter Griffin

Clayton James Slone

"There are far, far better things ahead than any we leave behind."

-C.S. Lewis

Bethany Shay Smith

"Optimism killed the cat before curiosity got to it."

James Shaler Spencer

"...all of us, each and every one, lives a life that is, in its own right, an epic."

-Richard Hammond

Joseph Alexander Steele

"I did my waiting...12 years of it...in Azkabaw!"

-Sirius Black

Katherine Elizabeth Stiles

"You will never know the true value of a moment until it becomes a memory."

-Spongebob

Jaggar Benton Stiltner

"Friends don't let you do dumb things alone."

Logan Blaise Tackett

"You get a strange feeling when you leave a place, like you'll not only miss the people you love, but you miss the person you are at this time and place because you'll never be this way ever again."

-Azar Nafasi

Megan Nicole Thacker

"Live it up for the weekend."

Stormy Mercedes Alexas Thieme

"Do not compare yourself to others; compare yourself to who you were yesterday."

Max Tanner Thompson

"Sometimes you find out what you are supposed to be doing by doing the things you are not supposed to do."

-Oprah Winfrey

Noah Preston Thornbury

"It's precisely the possibility of realizing a dream that makes life interesting."

-Paulo Coelho

Phoebe Cayia Thornbury

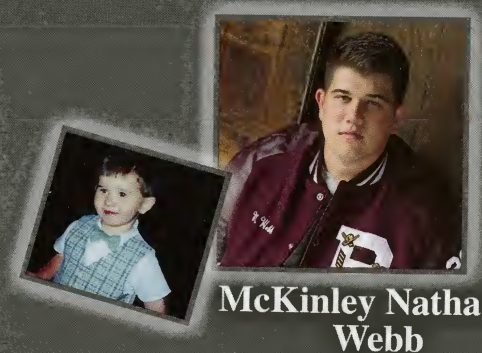
"You live in a world of illusion
where everything's peaches and cream.
We all face a scarlet conclusion
but we spend our time in a dream."

-Steve Miller Band, Jungle Love

Ariana Mahalie Velasquez

"Write your secrets in the sand and trust them with a mermaid."

Micah Nicole Ward-Johnson



"If you have to bet, always bet on yourself because only you can accomplish your goals, unless you're playing roulette then you always bet black 17."

-Mckinley Webb

McKinley Nathaniel Webb

"So when you say psychosomatic, you mean like he could start a fire with his thoughts?"
-Cal Naughton Jr.

Madison Renee Willard

John Williams

"I want my dreams to rescue me."

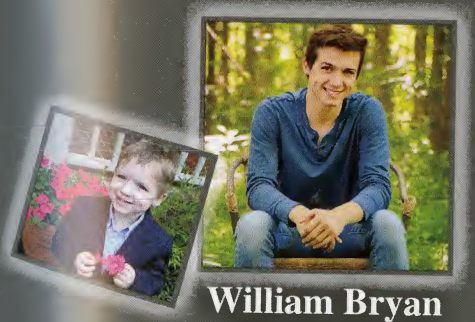
-J. Cole

Joshua Alan Williams

"I don't know what my future holds, but I do know who holds my future."

-Tim Tebow

Haley Camille Williamson



"A lot of people are afraid to say what they want. That's why they don't get what they want."

-Madonna

William Bryan Williamson

"In school, time flies. So take it slow and enjoy."

Raymond Charles Wolfel

"Always remember to go forth and MAKE GREAT ART!"

-GSA

Alicia Loraina Zacarias

Senior Superlatives

Most School Spirited

Lauren Blackburn

McKinley Webb

Savannah Little

Most Likely To Succeed

Ryan Crum & Emily Keaton

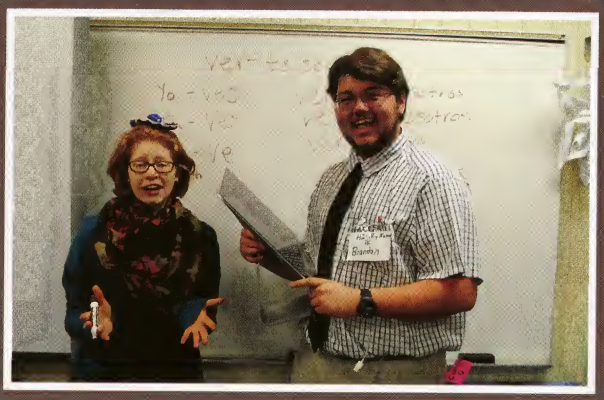
Best Dressed

Will Williamson & Lexie Damron

Most Likely To Be The Next Bachelor and Bachelorette

Braden Kendall & Sylvia Justice

Most Likely To Become A PHS Teacher



Joe Steele

Callie Leisure

Most Likely To Take Home To Mom and Dad

Connor Risner and Emily Hughes

Best Shoulder To Cry On

Jaggar Stiltner & Megan Thacker

Most Athletic

Clay Slone & Savanna Nunemaker

Couple That Should Have Dated But Never Did

Kyle Martin & Kristen Maynard

Most Artistic

Jay Compton

Lynne Atkins

Best Personality

Austin Salyer & Kennedy Keeys

Most Outdoorsy

Nate Campoy & Erika Conn

Worst Case Of Senioritis

Jerry Green & Christy Hunter

Class Clowns

Canaan Godsey & Brooklyn Newsome

Mr. and Miss Pike High

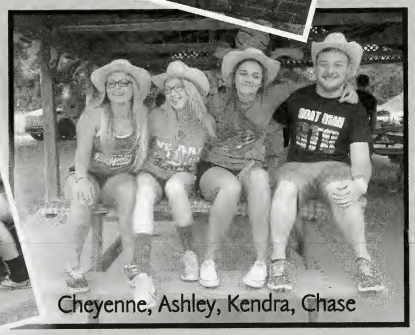
Austin Salyer and Kennedy Keeys

Pikeville High School Class of 2017

Boot Scootin' Our Way Outta Here!

Archer Park provided the perfect setting for one of the last senior gatherings.

On Monday, May 22, students enjoyed corn hole, soccer, lots of good food, and getting wet! But, most importantly, they had fun just being together as a class.



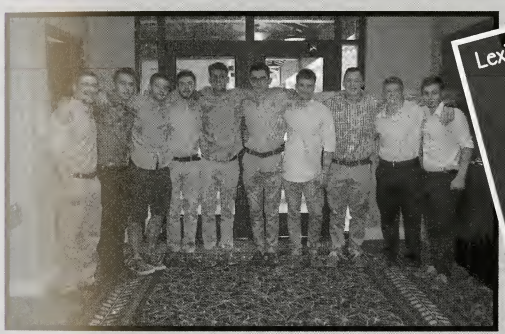
Senior Picnic

Celebrating Together One Last Time

Senior Brunch

Josh, Caleb, Nash, Kolby, Jay, Austin

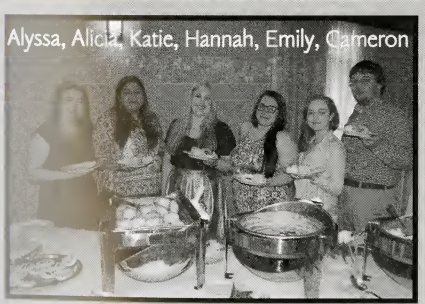
With their final days coming to an end, seniors celebrated for the last time at the annual Senior Brunch on Tuesday, May 23 at the Hilton Garden Inn.



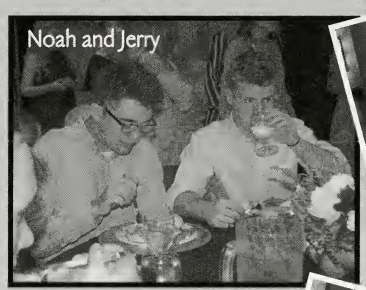
Lexie

Clay

Josh, Ethan, Devin



Alyssa, Alicia, Katie, Hannah, Emily, Cameron



Noah and Jerry

McKinley

Skylar, Ja'Mesa, Selena, Micah, Cheyenne

Taylor, Jonathan, Ryan, Maddie, Lauren

Charlie and Colin

Bethany, Christen, Catie

Austin, Nate, Nathan, Blake

Brooklyn, Dalton, Savannah

Christyland Mr. Green

A Moment of Celebration and Achievement

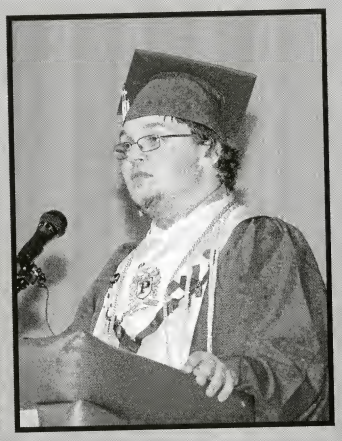
It was a bittersweet occassion for the 105 seniors as they entered Alumni Auditorium on Sunday, May 28.

Realizing this was the very last day of the life they had grown so comfortable with, many reflected on their time at Pikeville as they listened to speeches given by classmates.

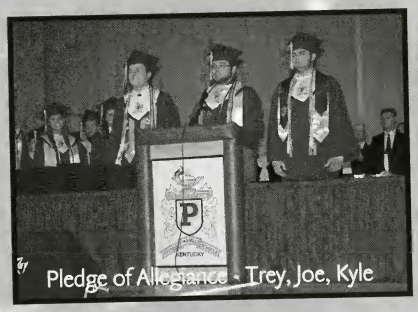
However, it was time to move forward, time to begin a new journey.

Valedictorian Emily Keaton

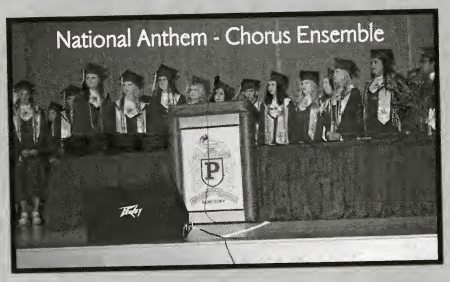
Co-Salutatorian Lynne Atkins



Co-Salutatorian Cameron Lane

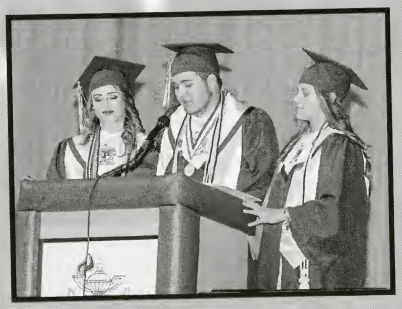


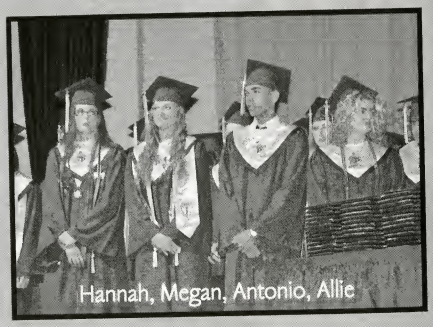
Pledge of Allegiance - Trey, Joe, Kyle



National Anthem - Chorus Ensemble

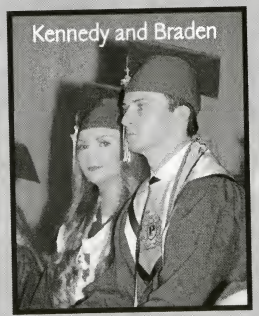
Perfect Attendance
Sylvia Justice





Hannah, Megan, Antonio, Allie

(above) Lauren Blackburn, McKinley Webb, Rachael Blackburn - Honors and Awards; (left) Haley Williamson - Invocation; Lynne Atkins, Kerrigan McPeek, Megan Bailey - Welcome and Recognition of Guests; Sylvia Justice, Christen Ousley, Catie Rowe - Levels of Distinction



Kennedy and Braden

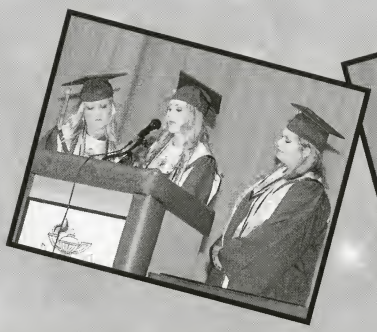
Kentucky Governor's Scholars
Ryan Crum, Trey Grant, Cameron Lane, Andrew McNamee, Haley Williamson, Will Williamson

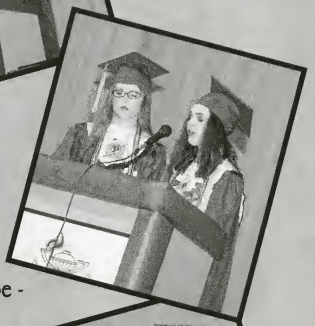
SEKCC Work Ethic Award
Ryan Crum, Carmen Hall, Sylvia Justice, McKinley Webb, Haley Williamson, Will Williamson

Kentucky Governor's School for the Arts
Ryan Crum, Canaan Godsey, Alicia Zacarias

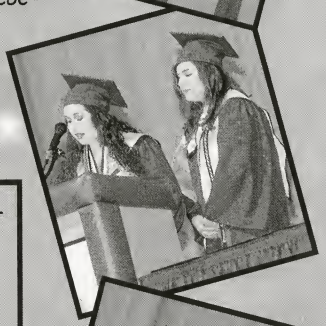
Kentucky Governor's School for Entreprenuers
Will Williamson

Hugh O'Brian Youth Leadership Program
Peyton Hamilton and Will Williamson





(above, middle) Sydney, Rebecca, Maddie - Special Achievements; Blake and Austin - Early College Academy; Hannah and Phoebe - Introduction of Chorus; Carmen, Callie, Alicia, Ariana - Distinguished Alumni; Alyssa and Katie - Introduction of Band



Southeast Kentucky Youth Leader of the Year - Ryan Crum and Ariana Velasquez

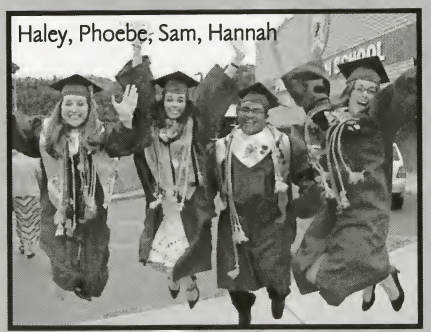
Robinson Scholar - Trey Grant

National Merit Scholar Commendation - Cameron Lane

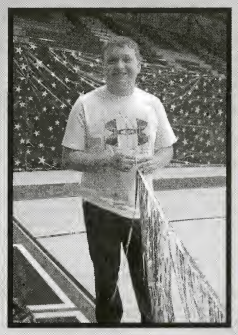
Wendy's High School Heisman State Finalist - Andrew McNamee

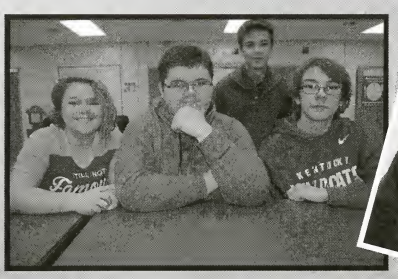
2017 Distinguished Alumna
Patricia Kilgore Hall
Class of 1972

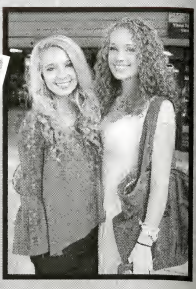
2017 Distinguished Alumnus
Chris Hedges
Class of 1989

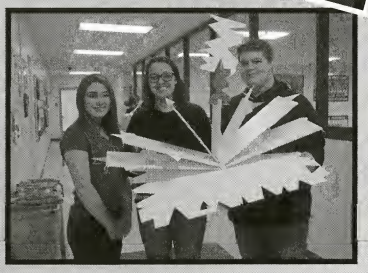


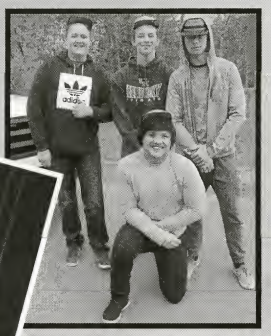
Underclassmen

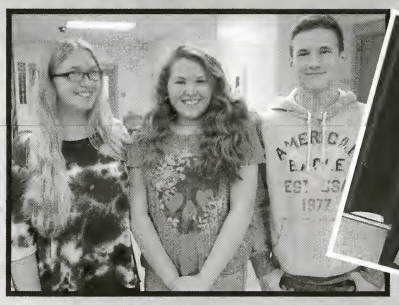


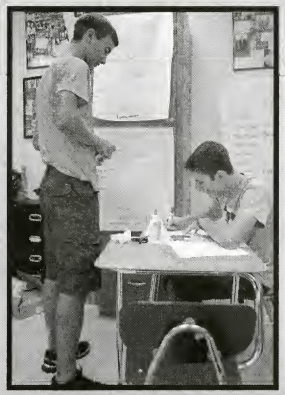


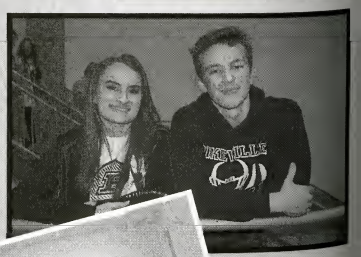


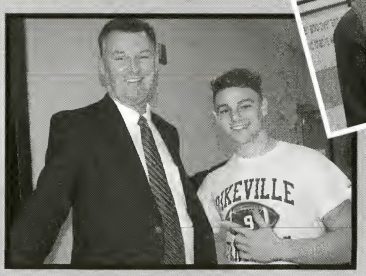












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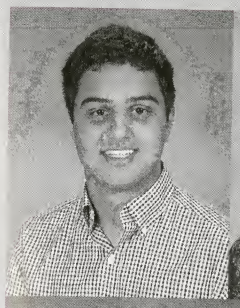

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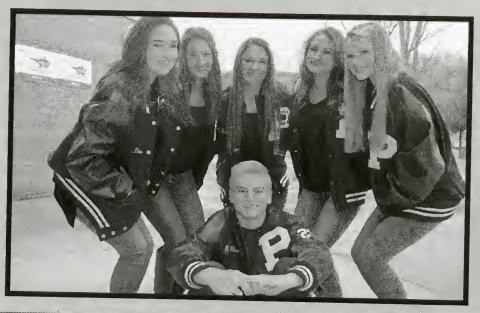

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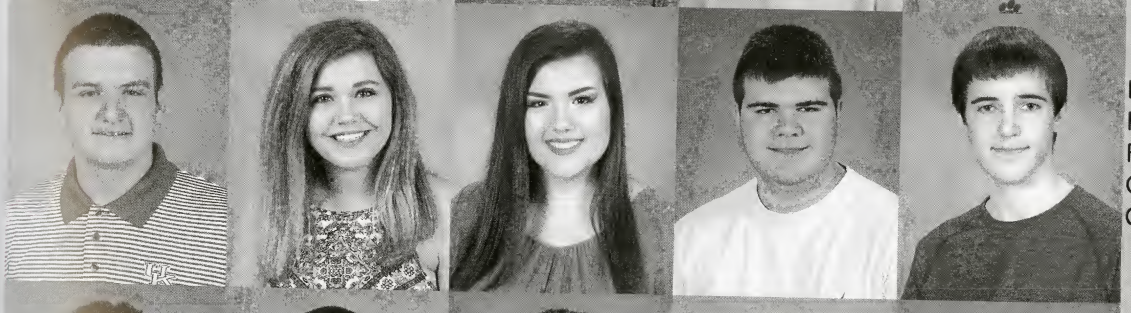

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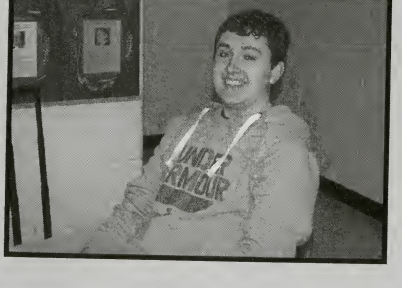

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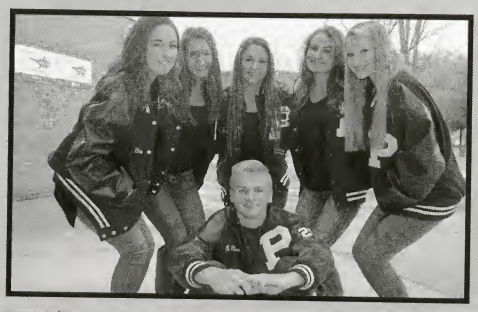

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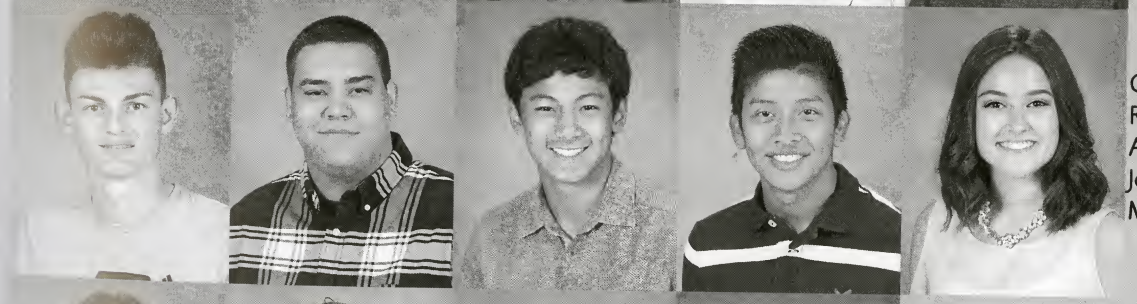

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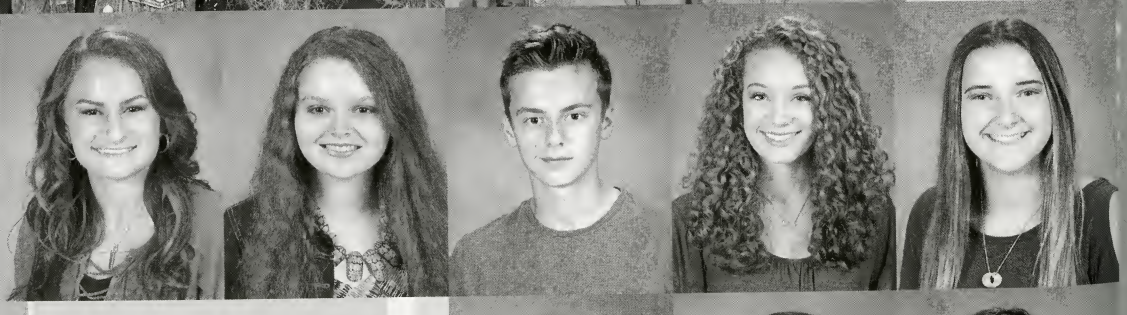

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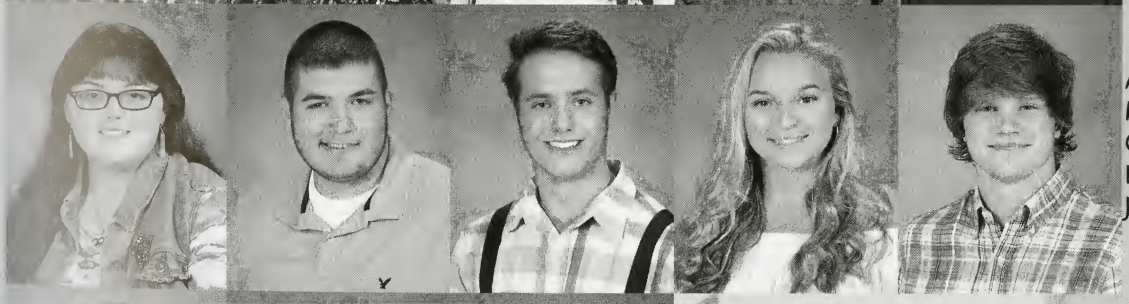

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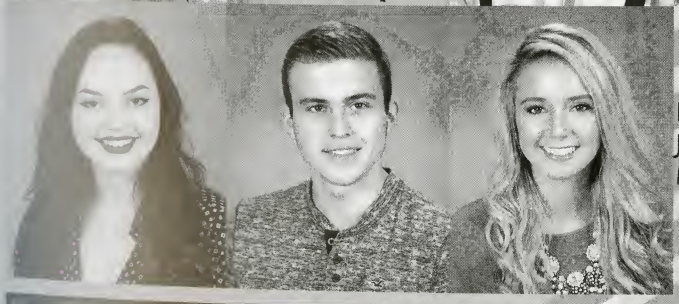

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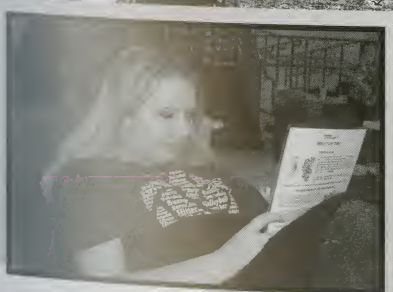

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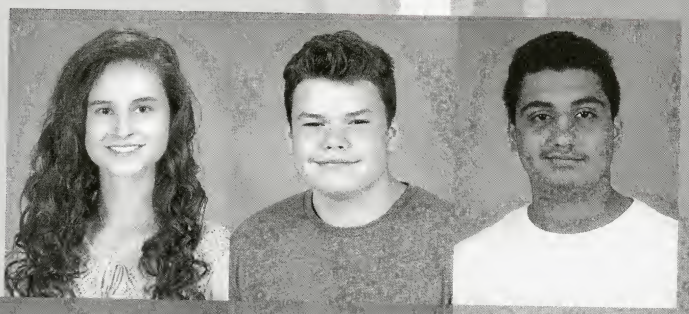

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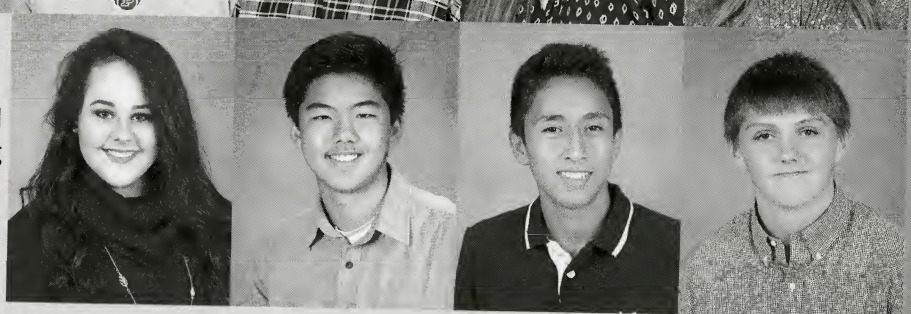

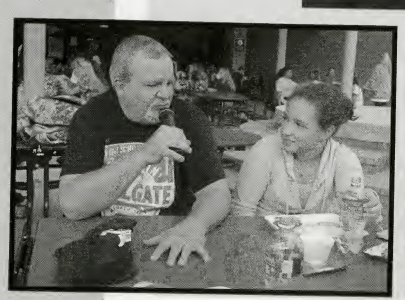

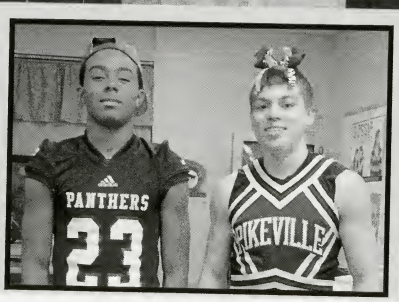

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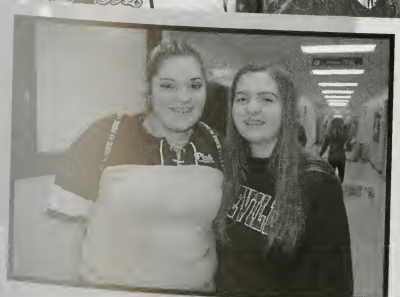

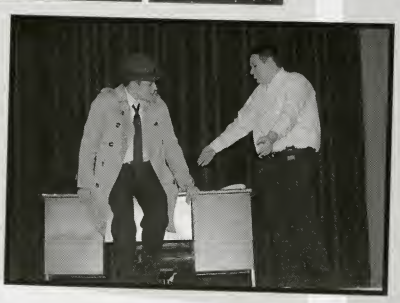

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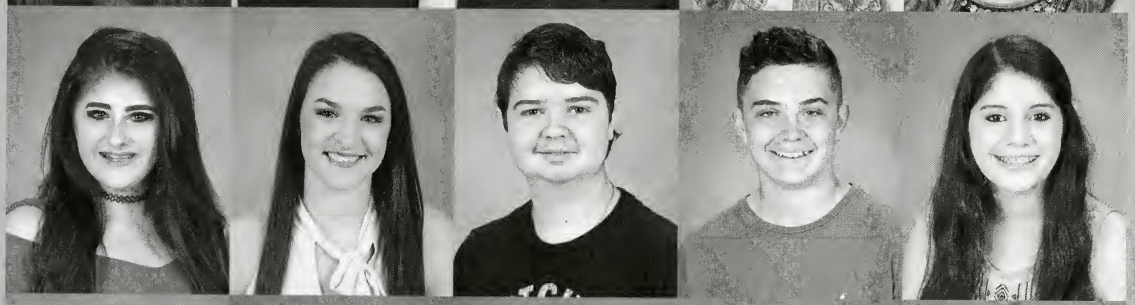

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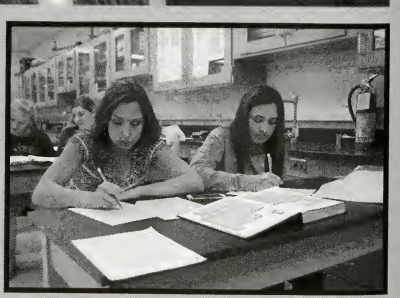

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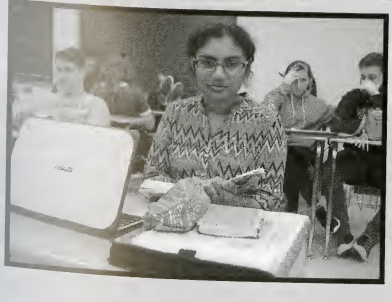

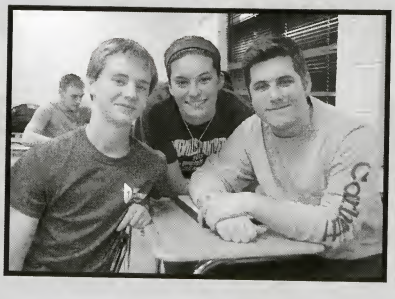

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Kaden Caudill

Harley Chaney
Luke Chaney
Kirsten Cole
Shawn Cole
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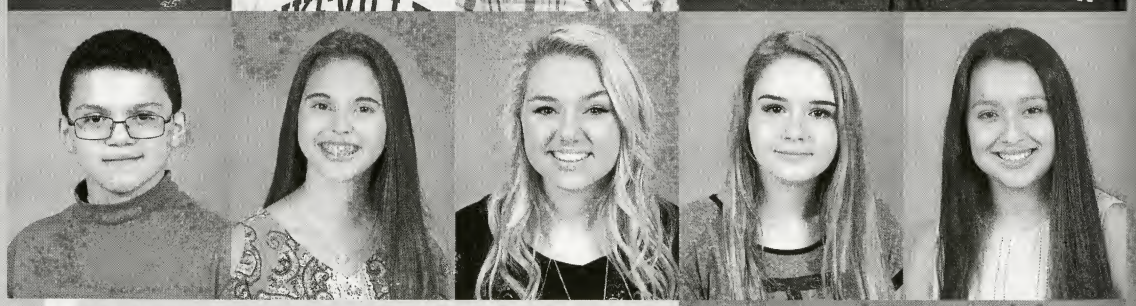

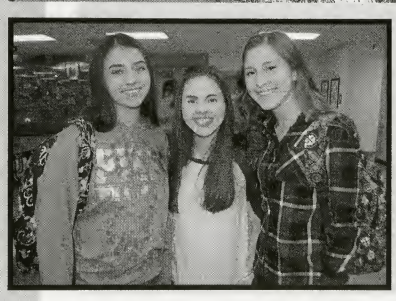

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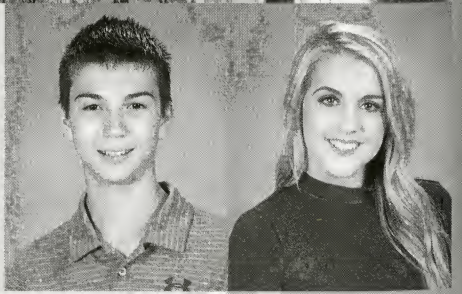

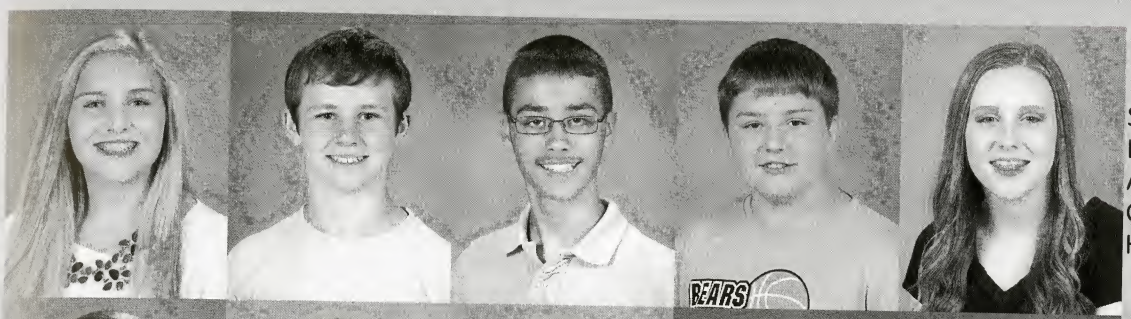

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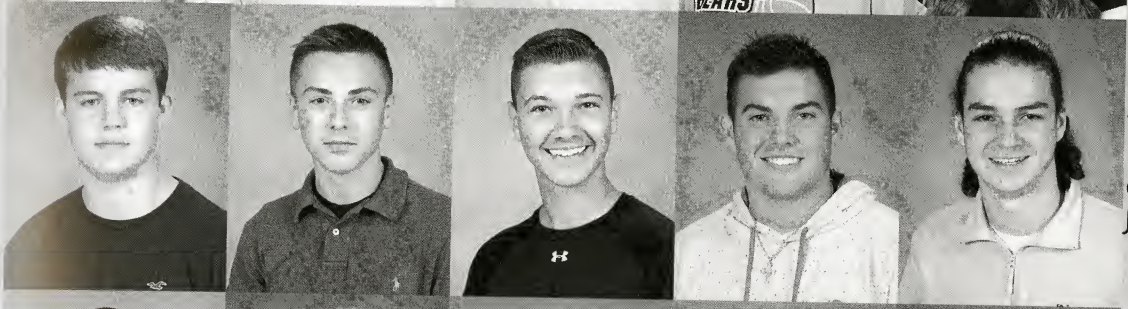

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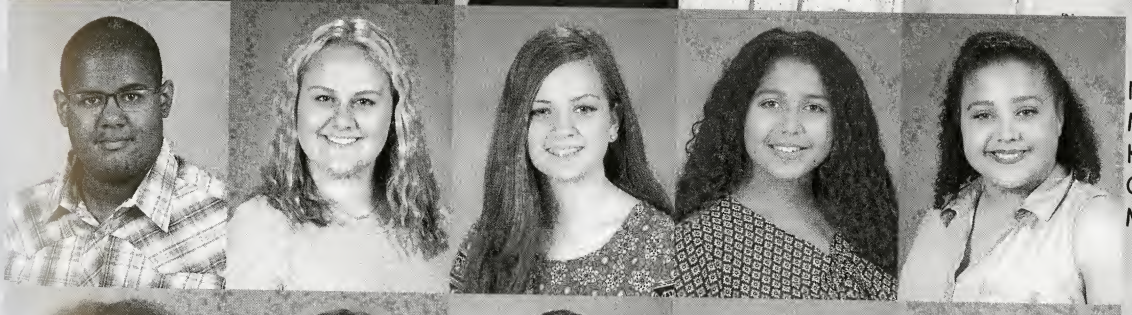

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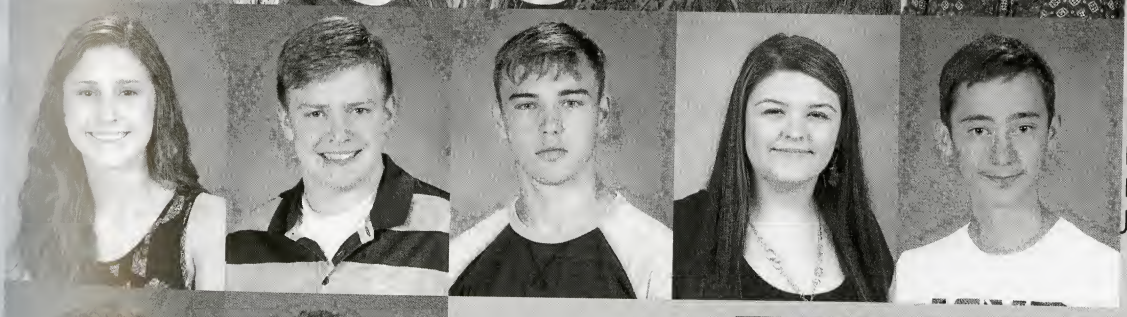

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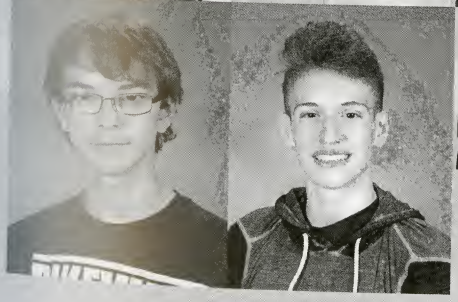

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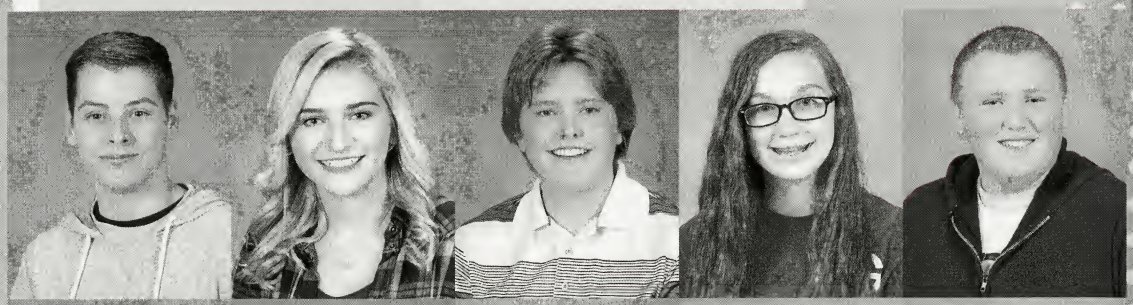

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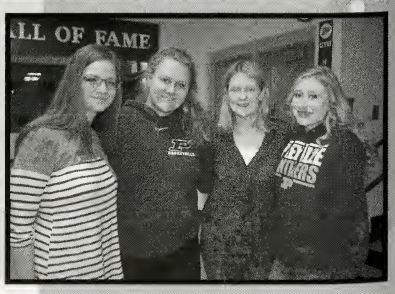

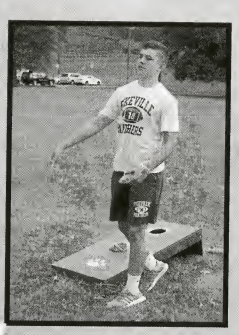
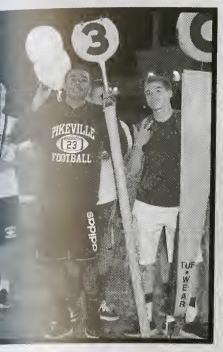
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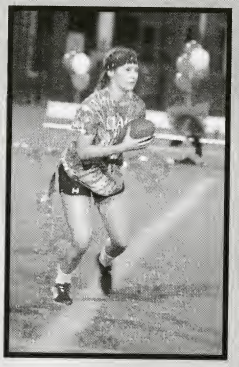
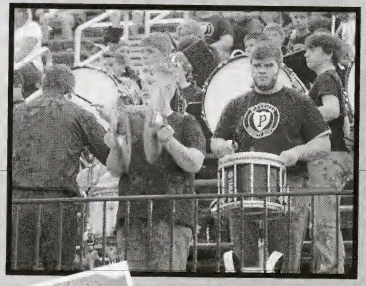
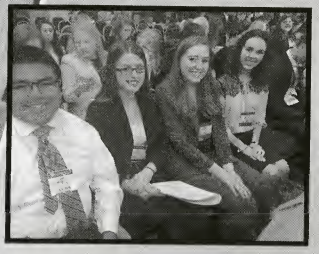
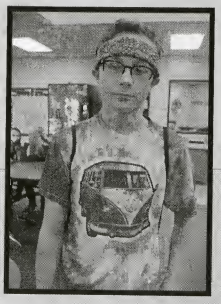




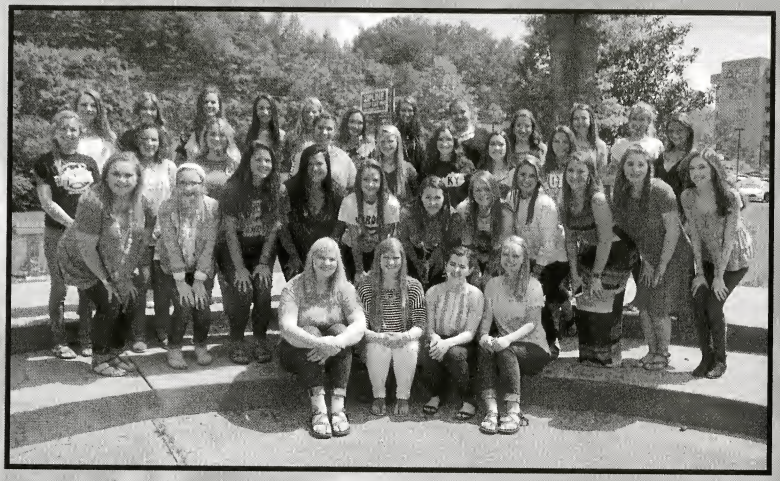




Creating Some PANTHER PRIDE

School spirit is not something easily defined because it consists of so many things. School spirit is the feeling you get when you crowd into the bleachers for a football game or into the stands for a basketball game. School spirit is proudly wearing a Panther shirt.

Members of the Pep Club worked throughout the year to foster that spirit by decorating lockers, organizing pep rallies, recognizing the cafeteria staff, sponsoring Homecoming Week activities, and encouraging classmates to support whatever is going on at PHS.



Pep Club (row 1) Kristen Maynard, Megan Bailey, Lynne Atkins, Emily Hughes (row 2) Bailey Lovern, Kennedy Keeys, Erika Conn, Olivia Whitfield, Savanna Nunemaker, Savannah Little, Christen Ousley, Lauren Blackburn, Sylvia Justice, Lily Case, Maura McCoy (row 3) Taylor Johns, Lyndsie Bartley, Mattie Allara, Kerrigan McPeek, Elisabeth Staggs, Kenzi Hale, Micah Clevinger, Camryn Slone, Savannah Crider, (row 4) Ally Sizemore, Sarah McCoy, Kristen Howard, Staci Morrison, Emily Crum, Keely Coleman, Alexis Stanley, Michela Hunter, Hannah Potter, Emily Hager, Alyssa Shanklin

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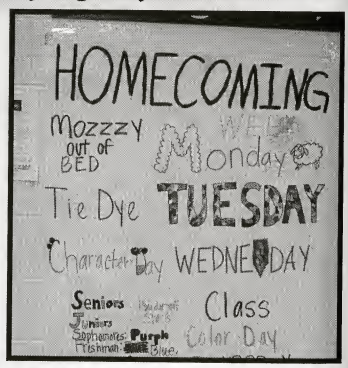

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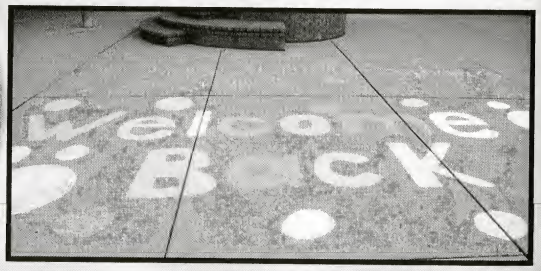


Ally, Sarah, Annie

2016-2017 Pep Club Officers

President: Megan Bailey
Vice President: Kristen Maynard
Treasurer:Lynne Atkins
Secretary: Brooklyn Newsome
Senior Rep: Emily Hughes
Sophomore Rep: Mattie Allara

Making Time to Make a Difference

The nationally recognized, volunteer-based club, National Honor Society emphasizes leadership, academics, and character in its criteria for student membership.

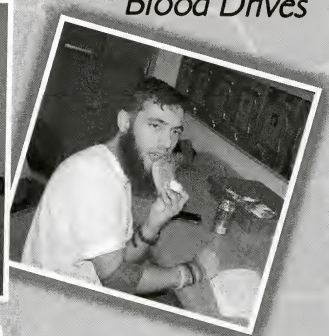
Students organized Pennies for Patients and three Blood Drives. They were also required to complete 15 hours of community service and five hours of after-school tutoring.

National Honor Society (in no particular order) Haseeb Ahmad, Trenton Allara, Cameron Alley, Megan Bailey, Austin Ball, Lauren Blackburn, Rachael Blackburn, Raven Branham, Cade Byers, Kassidy Caudill, Alex Chang, Rebecca Clark, Micah Clevinger, Keely Coleman, Ryan Crum, Lexie Damron, Trey Grant, Kenzi Hale, Carmen Hall, Walker Hall, Evan Hamilton, Andrew Harris, Quinn Helfen, Hannah Hopkins, Emily Hughes, Dalton Justice, Sylvia Justice, Emily Keaton, Braden Kendall, Cameron Lane, Callie Leisure, Noah Little, Savannah Little, Bailey Lockhart, Cassidy Lowe, Kyle Martin, Sydney May, Kristen Maynard, Tyler McKinney, Andrew McNamee, Lindsey McNamee, Sam Musgrave, Brooklyn Newsome, Collin Noud, Savanna Nunemaker, Christen Ousley, Evan Rhodes, Connor Risner, Caleb Sackmann, Ally Sizemore, Camryn Slone, Abby Smart, Elisabeth Staggs, Alexis Stanley, Joe Steele ,Katie Stiles, Evan Swofford, Tanner Thompson, Phoebe Thornbury, Leah Vanderbeck, McKinley Webb, Jacob Wilkerson, Haley Williamson, Will Williamson, Paige Workman, Madison Younce, Alicia Zacarias

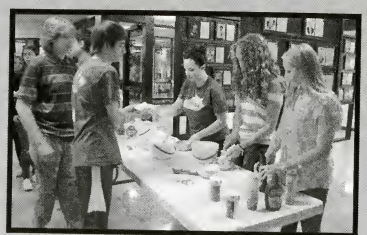
Executive Committee
Rebecca Clark, Haley Williamson, Emily Keaton, Ryan Crum, McKinley Webb, Will Williamson

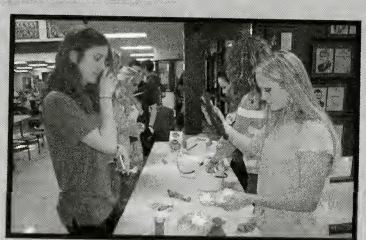
NHS Induction Ceremony

Blood Drives



Pennies For Patients Class Reward





Team Captures Top Honors at District and Region

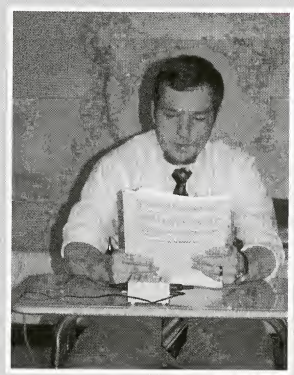
Enthusiasm and a willingness to practice and study are essential to having a successful academic team.

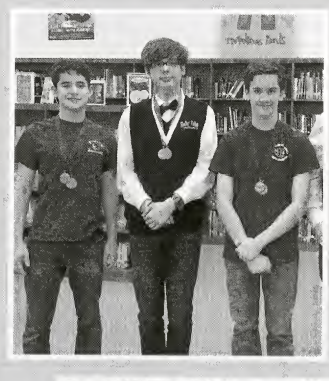
The fourteen members met after school and on weekends to prepare for their tournaments.

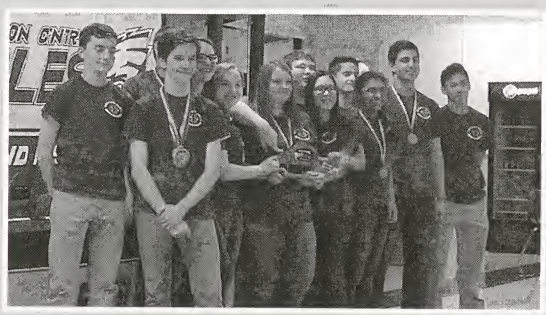
The team took home the first place prize in the Governor's Cup District Academic Competition. They also won the Governor's Cup Regional Championship.

The team was coached by Tom Asbury, Traci Bishop, and Jordan Johnson.

High School Academic Team (row 1) Coach Bishop, Madhu Ammisetty, Cami Gaunt, Tiffany Lin, Emily Keaton, Jared Green, Adam Swofford, Coach Johnson, (row 2) Haseeb Ahmad, Alex Chang, Jackson Holland, Hunter Ford, Lindsey Lockhart, Tanner Hamilton, Paul Keaton, Coach Asbury (Not pictured: Haley Williamson and William Fleniken)



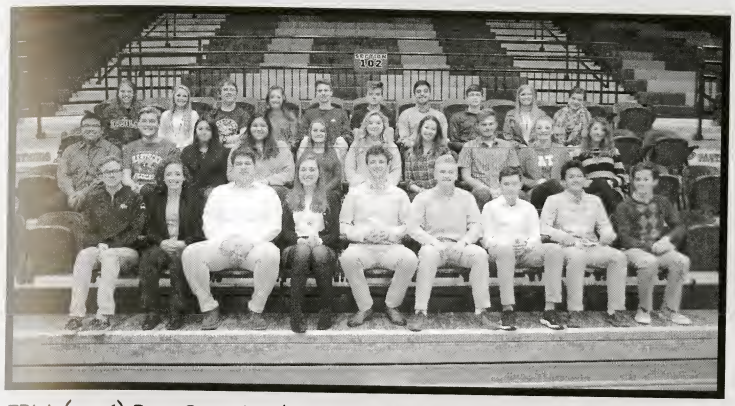




Governor's Cup Regional Competition
Future Problem Solving Team - 1st
Haseeb Ahmad, Alex Chang, William Fleniken, Cami Caunt, Jackson Holland, Emily Keaton, Tiffany Lin, Adam Swofford
Quick Recall Team - 1st
Haseeb Ahmad, Madhu Ammisetty, Hunter Ford, Cami Gaunt, Jared Green, Jackson Holland, Emily Keaton, Paul Keaton, Tiffany Lin, Lindsey Lockhart

Governor's Cup Regional Competition
Individual Wins
Social Studies - *Paul Keaton, 1st; Jaren Green, 2nd; Jackson Holland, 3rd*
Language Arts - *Emily Keaton, 1st; Cami Gaunt, 2nd; Hunter Ford, 4th*
Arts/Humanities - *Paul Keaton, 1st, Hunter Ford, 4th*
Math - *Lindsey Lockhart, 4th; Madhu Ammisetty, 5th*
Science - *Adam Swofford, 3rd; Haseeb Ahmad, 5th*
Composition - *Cami Gaunt, 1st, Tiffany Lin, 5th*

Bringing Business and Education Together



FBLA (row 1) Ryan Crum, Lyndsie Bartley, McKinley Webb, Haley Williamson, Braden Kendall, Evan Rhodes, Adam Swofford, Alex Chang, Paul Keaton, (row 2) Sam Musgrave, Trey Grant, Kaila Zacarias, Alicia Zacarias, Cassidy Lowe, Leah Vanderbeck, Savannah Little, Dalton Justice, Brooklyn Newsome, Kerrigan McPeek, (row 3) Sylvia Justice, Elisabeth Staggs, Kevin Green, Keely Coleman, Noah Little, Evan Swofford, Haseeb Ahmad, Walker Hall, Megan Bailey, Lynne Atkins

Members of FBLA had the opportunity to compete against the best-of-the-best in over 60 academic events that cover technolgy, business, finance, management, and more.

In Region competion, seven students placed first, six placed fourth, and five placed third. Members again tested their business knowledge and skills at the State competition in Louisville. Ten students placed in the top five.

Officers

Treasurer, McKinley Webb; President, Haley Williamson; Vice President, Braden Kendall; Historian, Alicia Zacarias; Secretary, Savannah Little

State Competition

Securities and Investments - Paul Keaton, 1st
Digital Video - Trey Grant and Alicia Zacarais, 2nd
Business Math - Hunter Ford, 4th
Intro to Parlimentary Procedure - Jared Green, 3rd
Business Financial Plan - Alivia Gearheart and Sydney Williamson, 3rd
3-D Animation - Joe Steele, 4th
Intro to Business Communication - Cami Gaunt, 4th
Business Management - Joe Steele, 5th
Partnership With Business - Cassidy Lowe, Evan Rhodes, Leah Vanderbeck, 5th
Into to Business Presentation - Mattie Allara and Emily Crum, Final Eight

Kaila, Mattie, Alicia

Emily & Mattie

Regional Competition

Individual Testing - Hunter Ford (Business Math), Cami Gaunt (Intro to Business Communications), Jared Green (Parliamentary Procedure), Emily Keaton (Business Communications), Paul Keaton (Securities and Investments), Cameron Lane (Business Calculations), 1st; Jackson Holland (Business Procedures), 2nd
Prejudged Projects - Joe Steele (3D Animation), 1st; Trey Grant and Alicia Zacarias (Digital Video), 2nd
Team Event Testing - Hannah Auton, Sam Musgrave, Phoebe Thornbury (Hospitality Management), 2nd; Zane Akers and Lyndsey Newsome (Community Service), 3rd
Team Presentations - Mattie Allara and Emily Crum (Intro to Business Presentation), 3rd
Job Interview - Haley Williamson, 3rd

Alicia, Trey, Kaila

Phoebe, Sam, Haley Hannah

Joe

Leah & Evan

Service is a Priority

Whether volunteering time to organizations in the community or helping those at school, Teens Who Care members spent the year serving others.

Club Service Projects

- **Princess Party at Public Library**
- **Volunteerd at Animal Shelter**
- **Blessing Box for the Community**
- **Made Brownies for Homeless Shelter**
- **Made Treat Bags for Police Officers and Firemen**
- **Teacher Appreciation Week**
- **Veterans Day Program - the Assisted Living Center**
- **Soccer Ball Drive for Orphanage**
- **"Adopted" a family for Christmas**
- **Welcome Back Name Game**
- **Operation Christmas Child**
- **Sharing Kindness Bulletin Board**

Amy Adkins & Ethan Terry

Alexis Compton

Joe and Kennedy

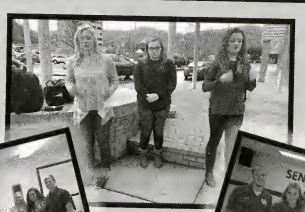
"A kind gesture can reach a wound that only compassion can heal." -Steve Maraboli

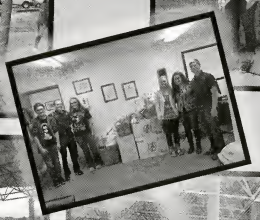
Outreach and Fellowship

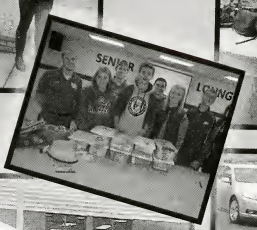
FCA Leadership Team (row 1) Abby Smart, Rachael Blackburn, Carmen Hall, Emily Hughes, Andrew Harris; (row 2) Caden Bartley, Devin Bartley

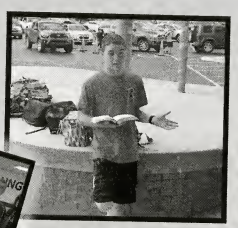
Standing on the core values for its ministry, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, a student-initiated group, promotes integrity, serving, teamwork, and excellence.

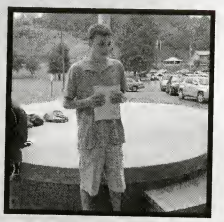
Most Thursday mornings, either around the flag pole or in the senior lounge, students gathered for a devotion and music.

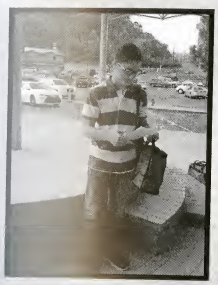


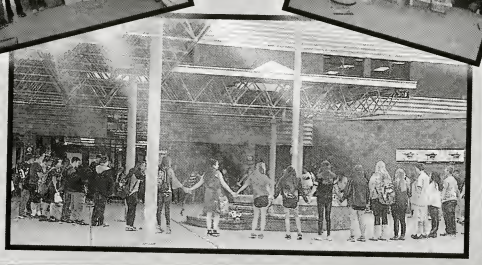


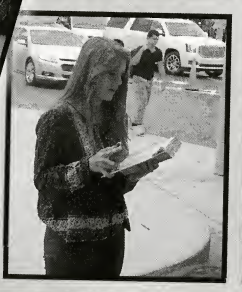


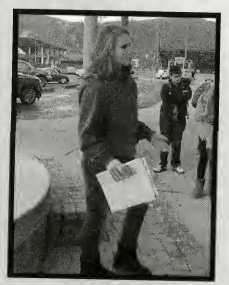










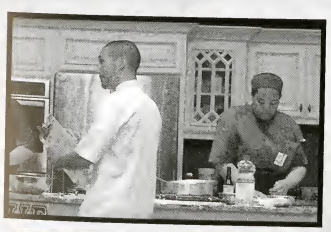


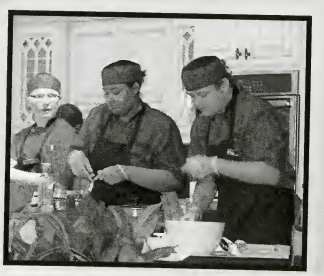
Whippin' It Up

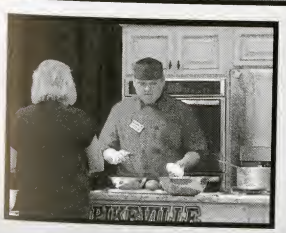
Cooking Team (from left) Colin Elder, Zane Akers, Ja'Mesa Honaker

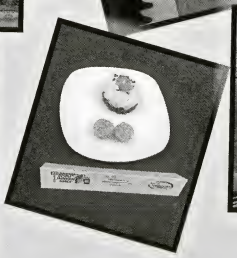
In August, members of the Junior Chef Cooking Team took their Shepherd's Pie recipe to the state competition in Louisville. Each dish submitted for competition must meet certain criteria: follow school guidelines and made from ingredients used in school cafeterias. The team had an hour and a half to cook, plate and present.

Local chef Chris Fleniken helped the team prepare for the competition. He is a high-end caterer and a knife maker.







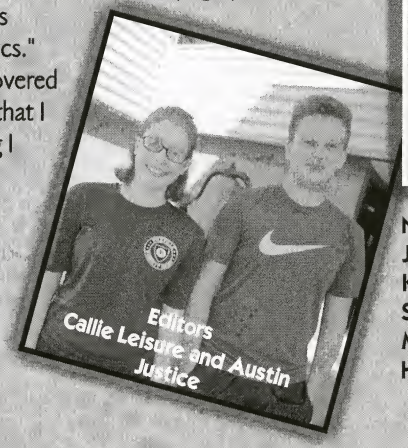


Creating "Issues"

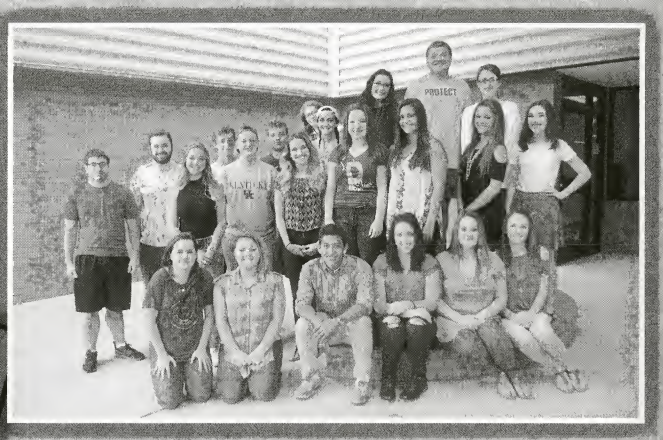
The journalism class spent the year writing for *The Independent,* the school newspaper, and the *Faculty/Staff Newletter.* The interviews, deadlines, photos, and rewrites consumed the weeks before the completed assignment was sent to Callie Leisure, editor of the newspaper, or Austin Justice, editor of the newsletter.

As the end of the year arrived, the entire staff worked on the final newspaper, the special senior issue. "I will miss smiling while reading someone's beautifully written words on a Google Doc, " Callie said. "I will miss putting antlers on the front page panther for the Christmas edition. I will miss laughing at Jay Compton's comics."

Austin added, "I quickly discovered my first year in journalism class that I had found a passion, something I could do for the rest of my life."



Editors Callie Leisure and Austin Justice

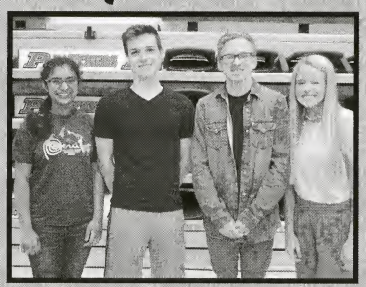


Newspaper Staff (row 1) Savannah Collins, Abigail Compton, Jose Childers, Kate Lackey, Mattie Allara, Emily Hager, (row 2) Kolby Ratliff, Jay Compton, Taylor Johns, Austin Justice, Alyssa Shanklin, Hannah Potter, Olivia Whitfield, Savannah Crider, Maura McCoy, (row 3) Cody Ratliff, Tyler Collins, Callie Leisure, Christy Hunter, Carmen Hall, Zane Akers, Hannah Auton

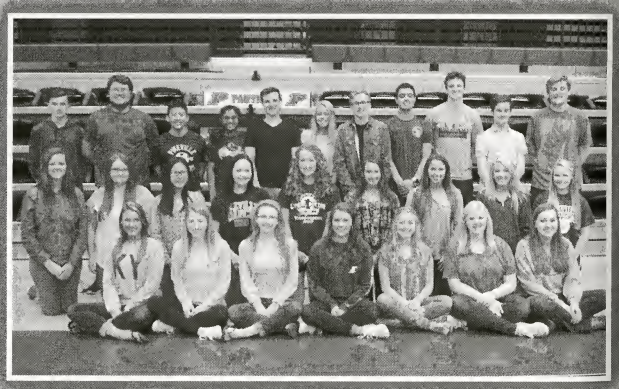
Impacting the School Community

Student Council members spent much of the year honoring the faculty and staff. Whether providing coffee and muffins or designing bulletin boards and helping in the classroom, members were eager to do what they could.

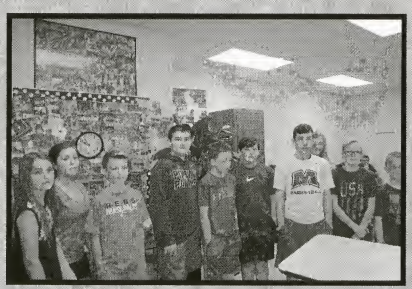
The council also participated in the Valentine's Day Data Match and greeted the sixth class to show them around the school.



Officers (from left) Madhu Ammisetty, secretary; Will Williamson, president; Ryan Crum, vice president; Emily Crum, treasurer



Student Council (row 1) Lauren Blackburn, Rebecca Clark, Kennedy Keeys, Sylvia Justice,Taylor Johns, Kristen Maynard, Haley Williamson, (row 2) Kristen Howard, Cami Gaunt, Tiffany Lin, Paige Workman, Lindsey McNamee, Alexis Stanley, Camryn Slone, Madison Younce, Elisabeth Staggs, (row 3) Adam Swofford, Joe Steele, Jose Childers, Madhu Ammisetty, Will Williamson, Emily Crum, Ryan Crum, Haseeb Ahmad, Braden Kendall, Paul Keaton, Trey Grant



Yours truly,

Co-editors

Kristen Maynard and Megan Bailey

Sponsor: Susan Huffman
Seniors: Megan Bailey, Lauren Blackburn, Emily Hughes, Taylor Johns, Kennedy Keeys, Kristen Maynard
Juniors: Keely Coleman, Cassady Hall, Kenzi Lee, Camryn Slone, Alexis Stanley

Juniors

Seniors

The Yearbook Staff

Wind Band Makes History

The Kentucky Music Educators Association holds the State Concert Band Performance Assessment each May at Comstock Hall at the University of Louisville School of Music. Bands from across the state perform in this prestigious event.

To qualify, participating bands must receive a distinguished rating at one of the state's district concert band assessments. In April, the Pikeville Wind Band received unanimous distinguished ratings from a panel of three adjudicators at the KMEA District Nine Assessment.

Based upon the decision of the judges, Pikeville was awarded a distinguished rating. This is the first statewide distinguished rating garnered by the PHS band program and one of only two distinguished ratings ever awarded within KMEA District Nine history.

Wind Band (in no particular order) Abigail Adams, Caden Bartley, Thomas Blackburn, Allison Brock, Charlie Broderick, William Chang, Shawn Cole, Jacob Collins, Ross Damron, Alyssa Francis, Eric Green, Jared Green, Andrew Hamilton, Grant Holland, Isaiah Huffman, Jack Lakin, Cameron Lane, Lindsey Lockhart, David Macier, Keith Mullins, Jeremy Potter, Christopher Ramey, Gage Ritchie, Holly Robinson, Brock Runyon, Caleb Scott, Tanner Skeens, Katie Stiles, Nick Tackett, Daniel Tritschler

Brock, Charlie, Ross

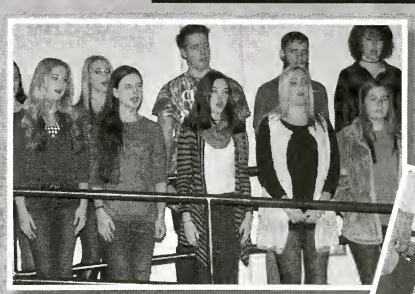
Tanner, Lindsey, Cameron Abigail

Showcasing Their Talents

High School KMEA All State Choir

Hannah Auton
Britney Hopkins
Jack Lakin
Maura McCoy
Zan McCoy
Phoebe Thornbury

High School Choir (row 1) Maura McCoy, Haley Miller, Sasha Perez, Alexandra Weddington, Sarah McCoy, Sarah Givens, Amy Adkins, (row 2) Phoebe Thornbury, Carmen Hall, Emma Runyon, Ally Sizemore, Sam Musgrave, Canaan Godsey, Ethan Terry, Sydney May, Dailey Prater, (row 3) Rebecca Clark, Hannah Wetzel, Katie Stiles, Alyssa Francis, Darrian Akers, Chris Turner, Jack Lakin, Larissa Francis, Brianna Akers, (row 4) Jasmine Gillespie, Britney Hopkins, Hannah Auton, Zan McCoy, Mathew McCoy, Logan Elswick, Sophie Read, Alicia Zacarias, Kendra Caudill



Advancing to Nationals

January 22-24, students participated in the 76th annual Beta Club Convention held in Lexington, Kentucky.

Several members received individual and group honors. In additon to student competitions, the state-wide gathering included conference meetings, officer elections and guest speakers. Emily Crum was elected as Beta state secretary and Clay Slone gave an inspirational speech during the opening ceremony. Maddie Willard completed her service as the 2016-17 Beta state president at the convention. The club also received the G.O.L.D. Key award.

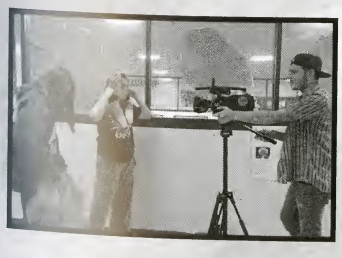
Awards

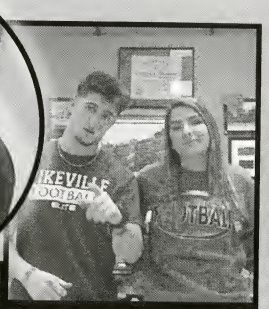
Will Williamson- 2nd in Social Studies
Sam Musgrave- 3rd in Mixed Media Art
Group Talent- 2nd
Emily Crum- Secretary

Panther Power Hour (row 1) Trey Grant, Brooklyn Newsome, Lexie Damron, (row 2) Canaan Godsey, Kyle Martin, Rebecca Clark, Sydney May, Savannah Little, Kennedy Keeys, Kerrigan McPeek, Christian Johnson, Tyler Elkins, (3rd row) Dalton Justice, Sylvia Justice, Alicia Zacarias, Hannah Hopkins, Callie Leisure

Lights, Camera, Panther Power Hour!

The seventh consecutive season of *Panther Power Hour* did not fail to make the audience laugh. Several hours of hard work and dedication went into the making of each show with many students often staying hours after school just to make sure the show was viewable the next day.





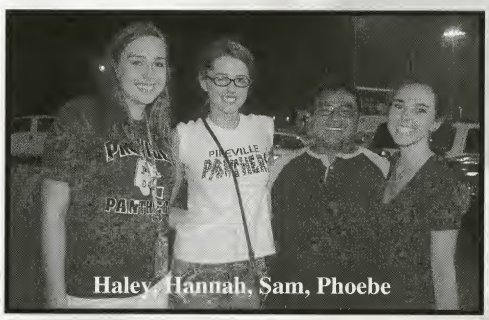
Maroon Brothers Look Good Every Night

The tradition that has made the Pike County Bowl a success continued when the Panthers took on Letcher Central in the 32nd annual Community Trust Bank/WYMT-TV Bowl games on Saturday, August 27.

Pikeville ambushed the Cougars to pick up a 30-6 win. Clay Slone's 12 points, which included an interception, earned him MVP honors. This was the Panther's seventh consecutive Bowl win and the 12th straight win dating back to 2015.

Queen candidates were introduced between games. Kennedy Keeys represented PHS.

MVP Clay Slone



Haley, Hannah, Sam, Phoebe

Queen Candidate Kennedy Keeys

Rebecca Hall

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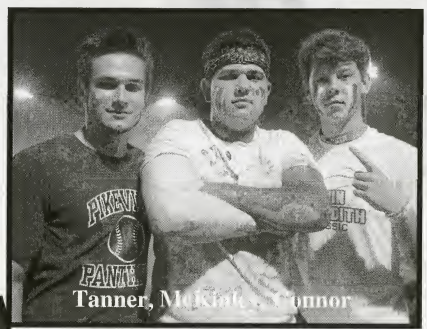
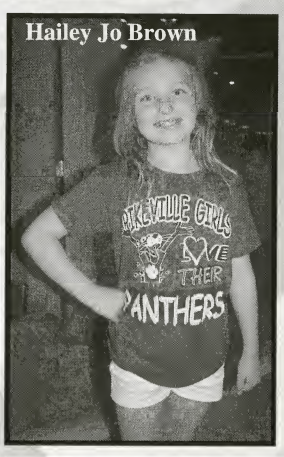
Devin and Charlie



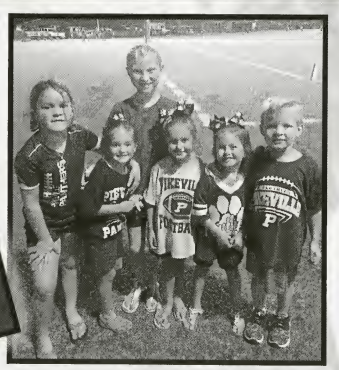
Tanner, McKinley, Connor



Hailey Jo Brown

Masten, Crosby, Ellie

Ella, Jayden



Ryan, Taz, Maddie, Dalton

Sharing Their Talents

Big Sandy Idol Contestants (row 1) Maddie Willard, Gracie Thompson, Sam Musgrave, Sarah McCoy, Amy Adkins, Abigail Adams, Alicia Zacarias, (row 2) Hannah Wetzel, Britney Hopkins, Logan Elswick, Ariana Velasquez, Alexis Compton

Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSTC) held it's Big Sandy Idol competition at PHS on Friday, November 4. Twelve talented students competed for the top two spots for the annual competition, which is held in March at the Mountain Arts Center.

Senior Maddie Willard was named the winner (her second time) and Alicia Zacarias finished as runner-up.

A Week-Long Tradition

Celebrating Homecoming October 17 - 22 with a week of spirited activites featured many student favorites. Theme dress-up days, lunch outside with EKB broadcasting live, a parade through downtown Pikeville, and a dance closing out the events made for special memories.

Homecoming Court (front) Coleman Howard, Emily Howard, (back) Kennedy Jones, Lily Case, Sarah McCoy, Camryn Slone, Keely Coleman, Lynne Atkins, Brooklyn Newsome, Queen Kennedy Keeys, Christen Ousley, Savannah Little, Lindsey McNamee, Alexis Stanley, Emily Crum, Alivia Gearheart

Homecoming Queen

Kennedy Keeys

Mozy

Out of Bed

Monday

Rebecca & Isabella

Tie Dye

Tuesday

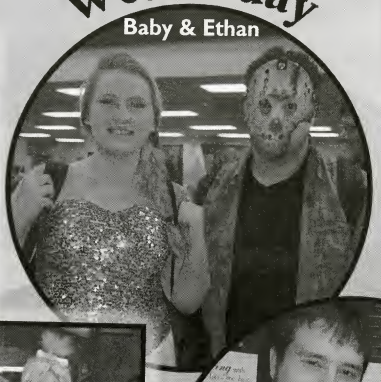
Angela, Allison & Taylor

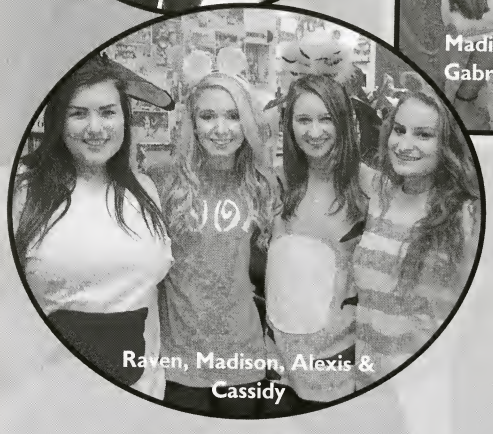
Bailey & Faith

Character Day Wednesday

Cole, Jackson & Jacob

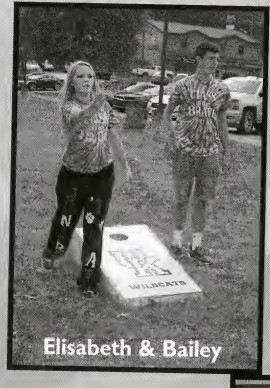
Madison & Gabriella


Baby & Ethan


Raven, Madison, Alexis & Cassidy

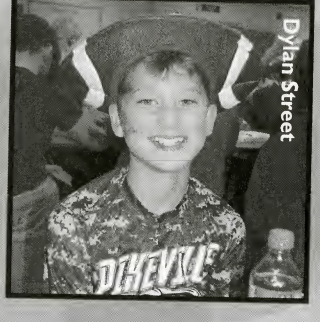
Austin & Kennedy

Class Color Day Thursday


Elisabeth & Bailey

Sydney & Rebecca

Spirit Day Friday



Dylan Street

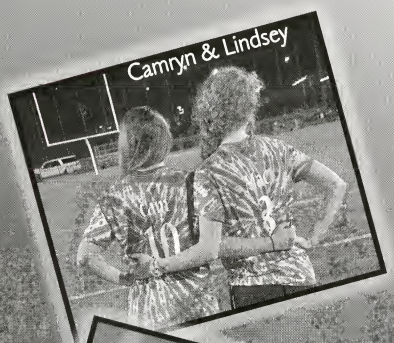
BACK TO BACK C17AMPS

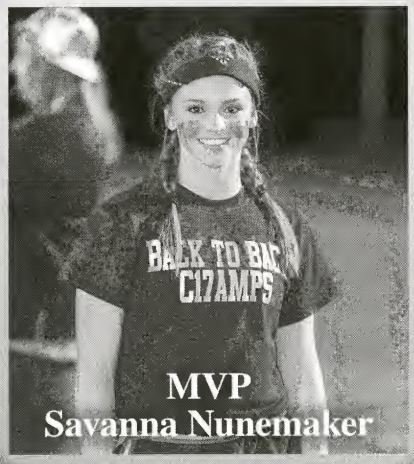
On Saturday, October 15, the annual powder puff game was held between the junior and senior girls. Trash talk began earlier than usual this year, and the teams started practicing months before the game. The juniors were determined to upset the defending champions, but the seniors put the game away quickly.

The first play of the game, senior Savanna Nunemaker raced to the end zone for the team's first touchdown. The next play, she intercepted a pass and scored again. In the second half, senior Erika Conn added another six points to the scoreboard.

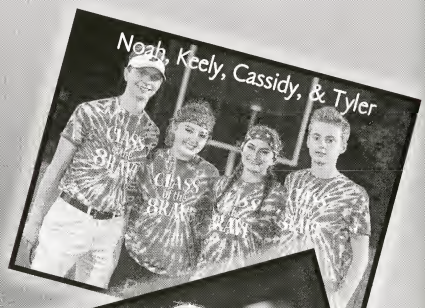
Alexis Stanley scored a late TD for the juniors but it wasn't enough. The seniors finished with an 18-8 victory. The graduating class of 2017 finished their powderpuff games with a record of 2-0.

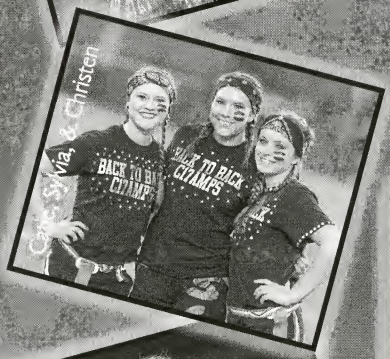
Homecoming King
Austin Salyer

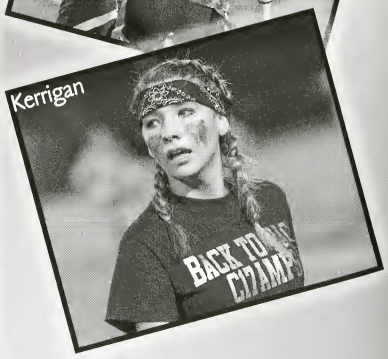




MVP
Savanna Nunemaker







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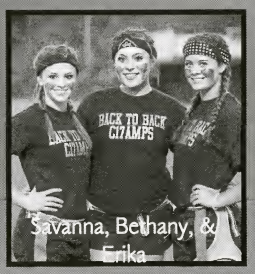
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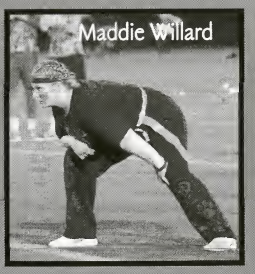
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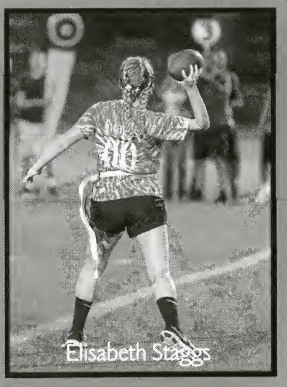
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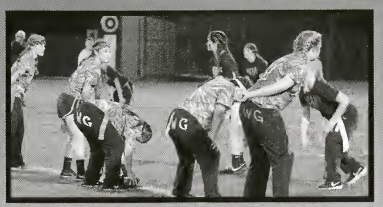

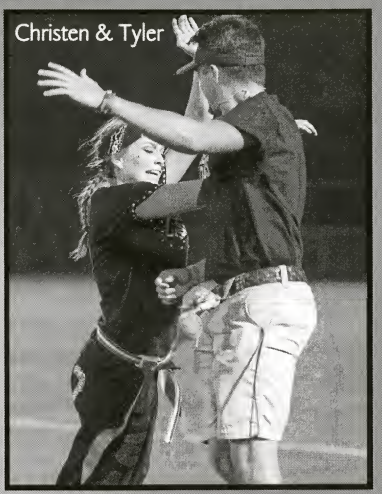
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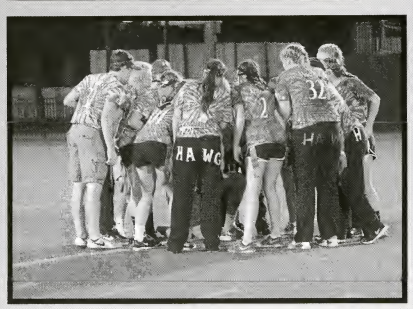


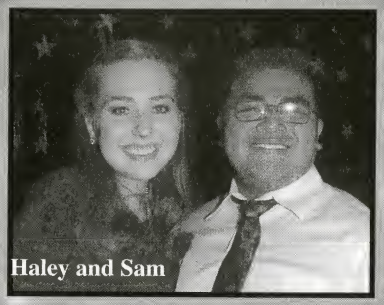
Alexis Stanley

Kassidy Caudill

A Special Ending to a Perfect Week

It was a dance most didn't want to miss! Capping off an exciting week, students brought their dancing skills...*The Whip, Nae Nae, The Dab, Cupid Shuffle, Soulja Boy, The Bernie*...to the gym on Saturday, October 22.

Well over 200 students attended the event, with the DJ providing an awesome experience of light and sound until the last song at 11 p.m.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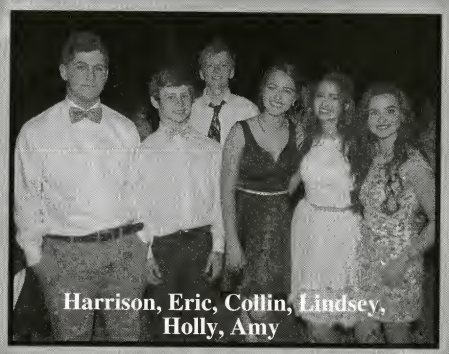
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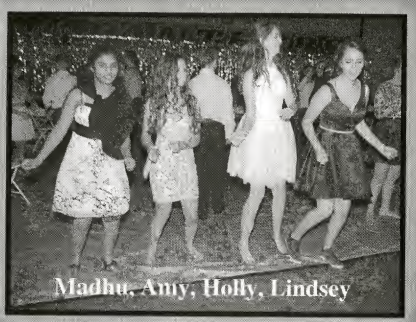
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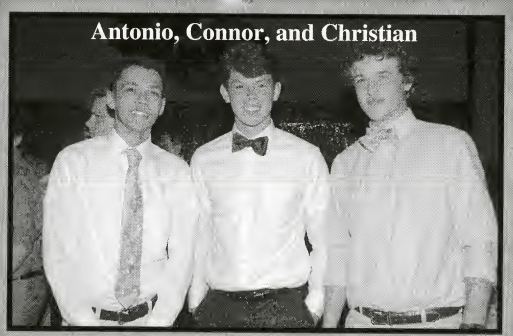
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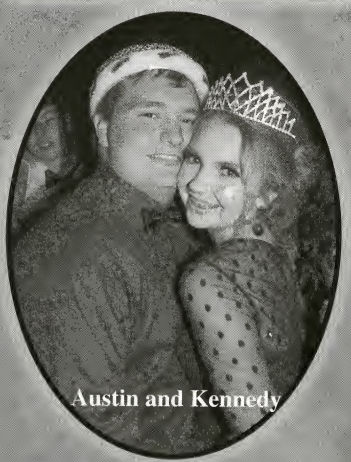
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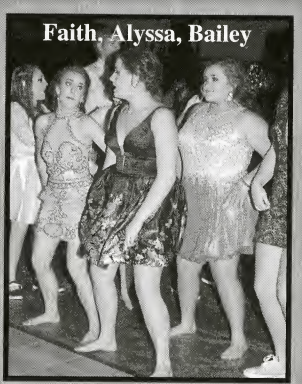
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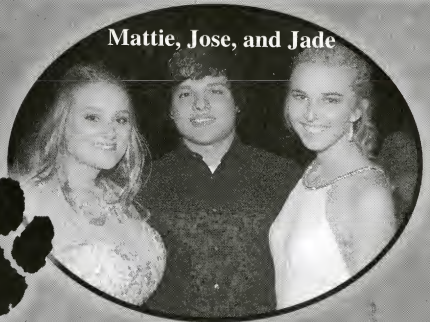
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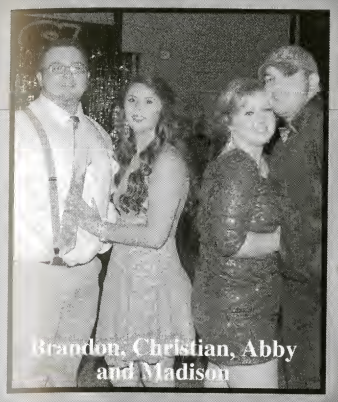

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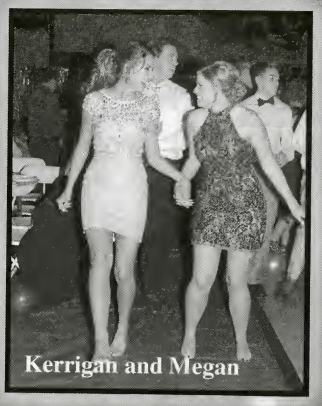
- Gracie and Chris



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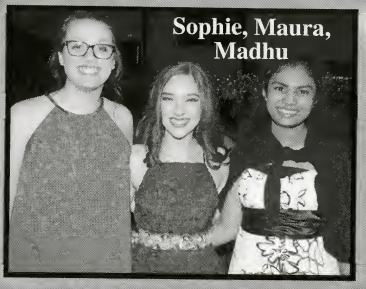

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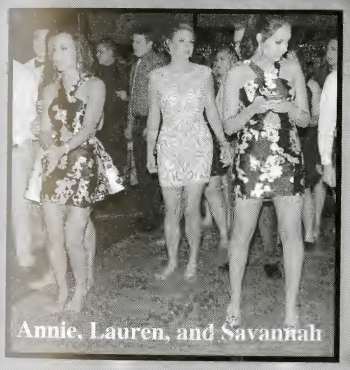
Ali, Micah, and Dalton



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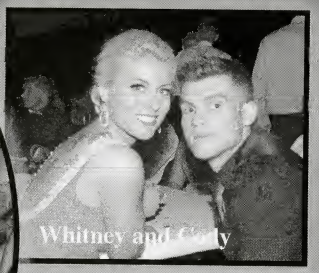

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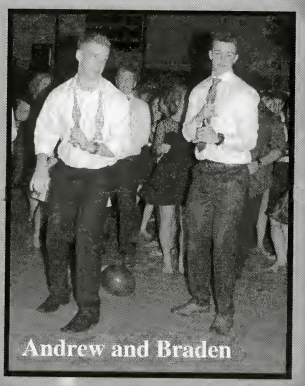

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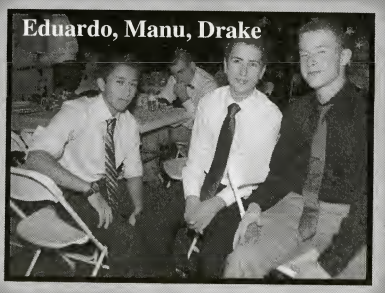


Eduardo, Manu, Drake

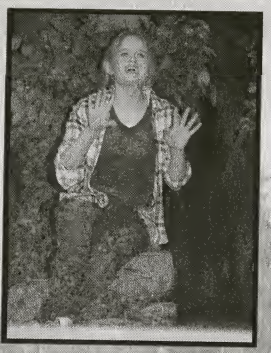
Jessi, Halie, and Skylar

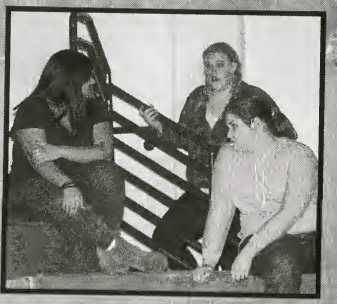
The Bottom of the Lake

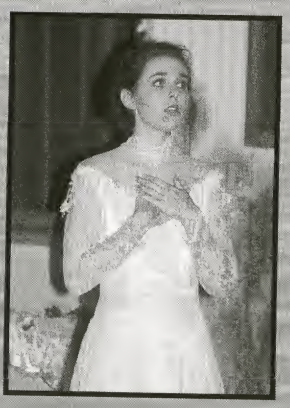
Summer camp. The memories. The s'mores. The campfire. The ghost stories.

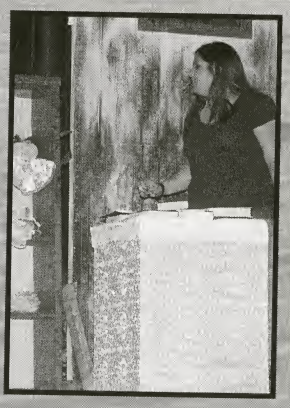
Dani's out in the middle of the woods at night, alone, without a flashlight. She meets three girls from another camp, and the new friends tell ghost stories to pass the time.

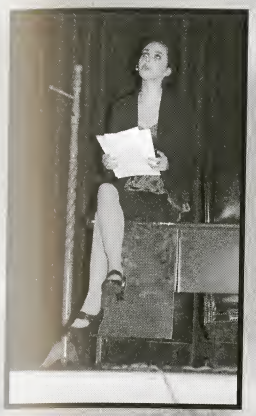
After each of their stories come to life onstage, only one story remains to be told - a story none of them saw coming.

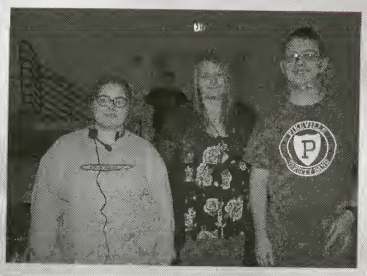


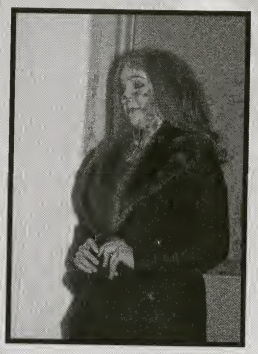
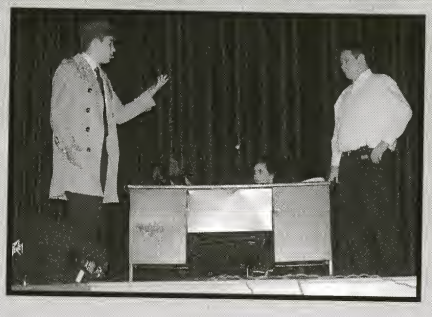


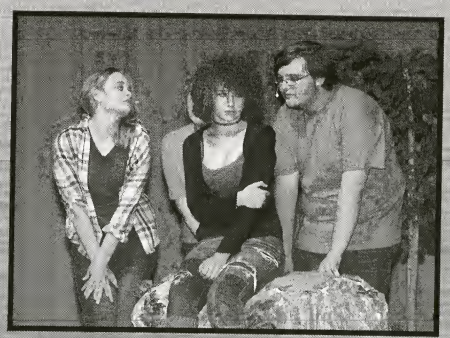
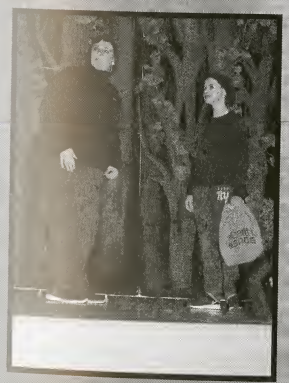








Cast

Amy Adkins
Britney Hopkins
Baby Layne
Cameron Lane
Sarah Belcher
Katie Stiles
Alyssa Francis
Alicia Zacarias
Riley Gilliam
Phoebe Thornbury
Joseph Daniels
Emily Keaton
Hunter Ford
Trey Grant

Crew

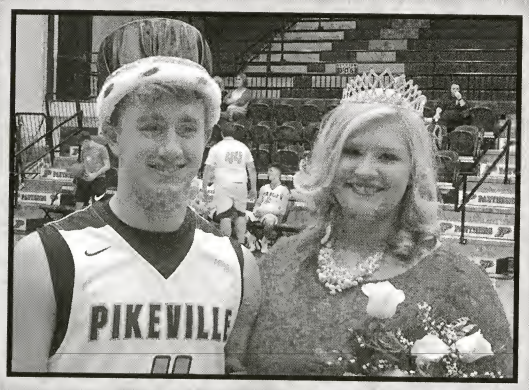
Katie Stiles
Hannah Hopkins
Cami Gaunt
Jared Green
Shelby Kennard
Thomas Blackburn
Daniel Tritschler
Alex Zacarias
Sam Musgrave

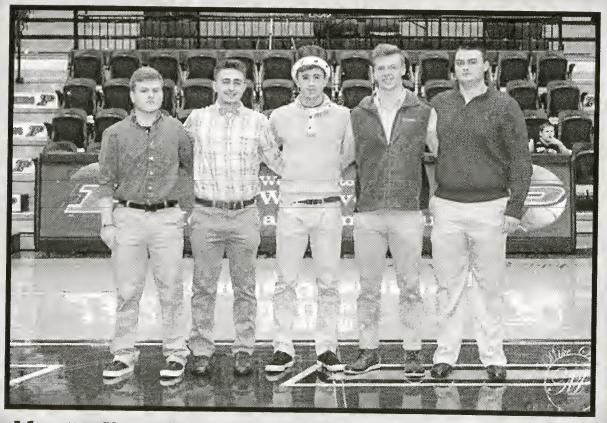
Celebrating Varsity King and Queen

Members of the Varsity King Court were recognized at halftime of the girls varsity game against Piarist on Saturday, January 28. Pep Club president, Megan Bailey, crowned Mikey McDonald the 2017 Varsity King.

During half-time of the boys game later that evening, the Varsity court was presented and Kristen Maynard was crowned Varsity Queen.

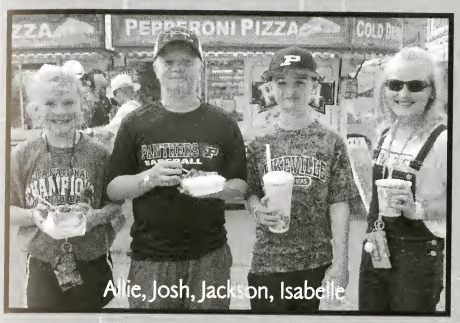
Varsity Court (front) Zadyn Ratliff, Tenzly Ratliff, (row 1) Lynne Atkins, Megan Bailey, Kristen Maynard, Savannah Little, Emily Hughes, (row 2) Keely Coleman, Sarah McCoy, Lily Case, Alexis Stanley, Lindsey McNamee, Kristen Howard, Emily Crum, Lyndsie Bartley, Alivia Gearheart, Elisabeth Staggs





Varsity King Court (from left) Peyton Hamilton, Clay Slone, Mikey McDonald, Andrew McNamee, Kyle Martin

Hillbilly Days....a Fun-filled Festival



Allie, Josh, Jackson, Isabelle

Micah, Kenzi L., Kenzi H.

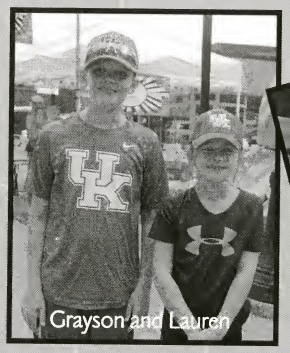
Welcome to downtown Pikeville for the 41st Annual Hillbilly Days festival! Everything from well-known carnival rides, to funnel cakes, to the traditional Appalachian crafts and music drew thousands of people to the community April 20 - 22.

A special guest to the festival this year was Erik Kloeker, a record holding juggler, fire-eater, and sword swollower.

Of course, the main purpose of the festival is to raise money for the Shriners Hospitals for Children.

Rachel Boyd

Brandon and Charlie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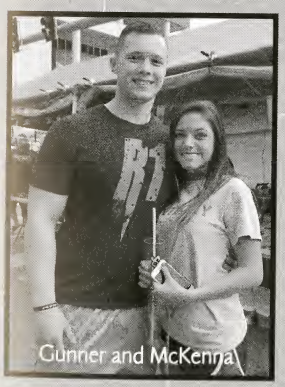
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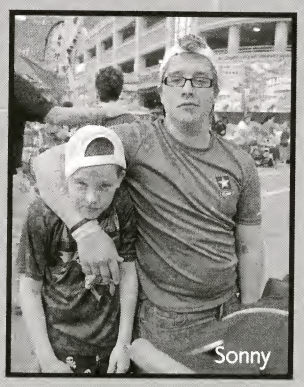
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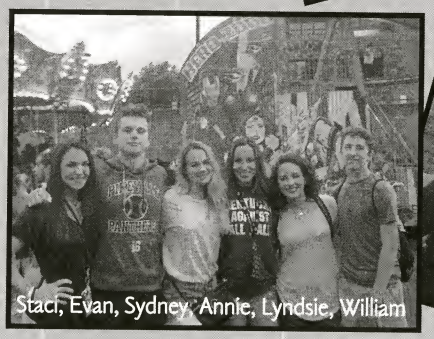
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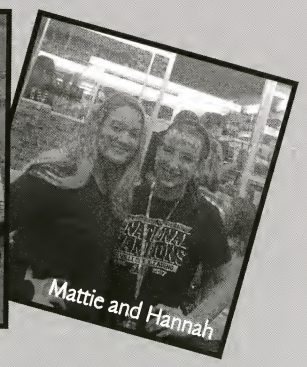
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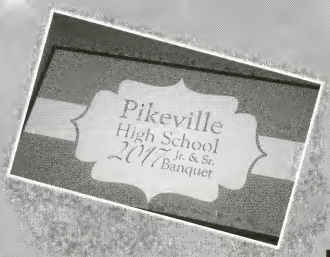
Making Memories

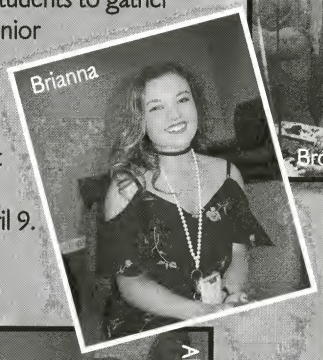


A special time spent with classmates, an excuse to dress up, and a delicious menu were reasons for PHS students to gather for the annual junior/senior banquet.

The reading of the Wills and Prophecies highlighted the event at Cornerstone Christian Church on Sunday, April 9.

Brooklyn and Dalton

Ryan, Emily, McKinley, Kristen, Megan, Lynne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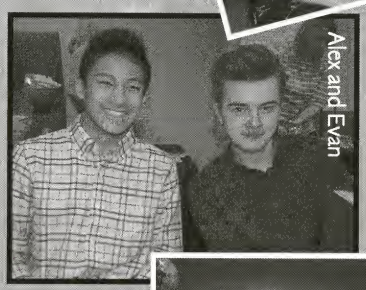
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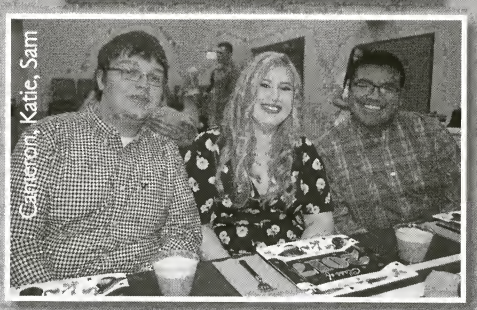
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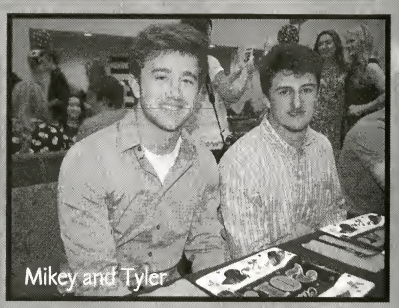
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Alyssa

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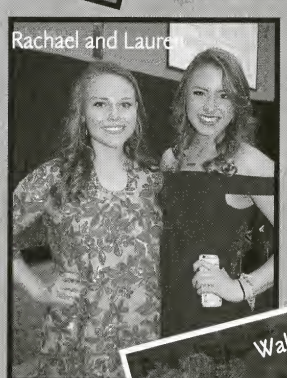
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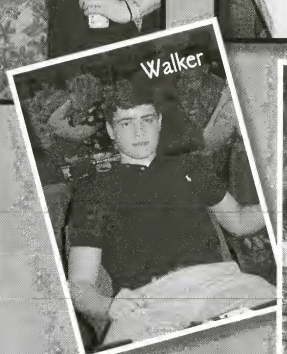
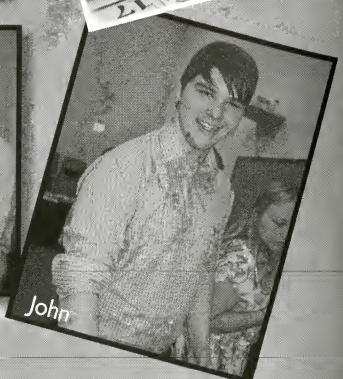

Walker

Sydney

Tanner, Andrew, and Braden


John

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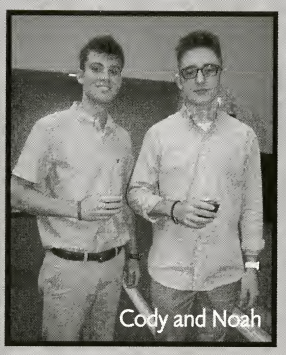
Cody and Noah

Connor

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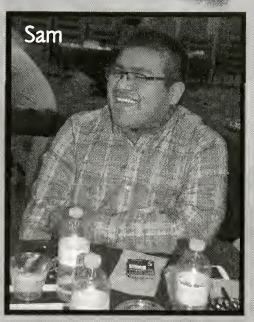
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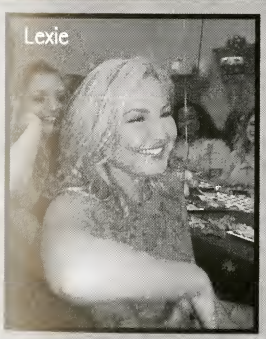
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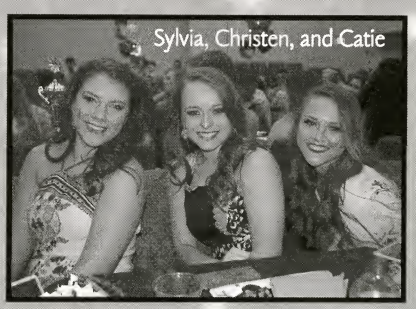
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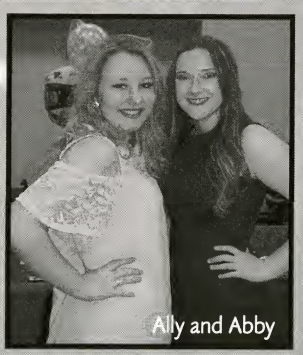
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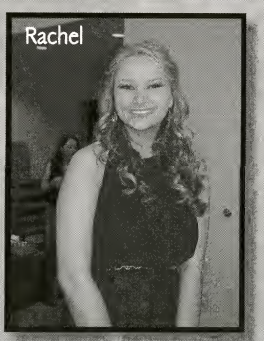
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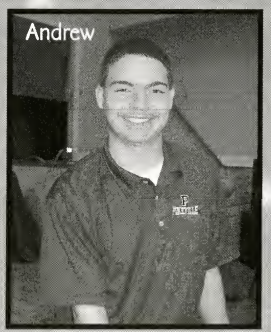
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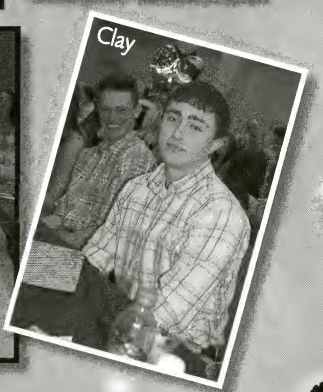
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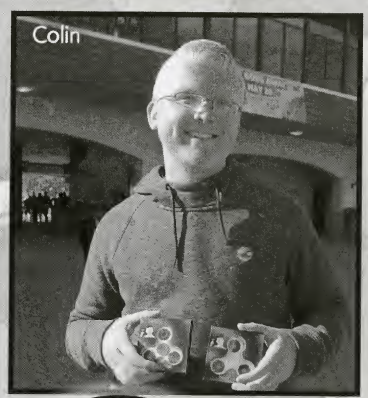
Junior/Senior Banquet

A Great Way to End a "Rollercoaster" Year!

PHS seniors were ready for an adventure at the largest amusement park in the Midwest on Sunday, May 7!

Home to thrilling rollercoasters like the Beast, Banshee, and Diamondback, everyone was ready for some fun.

Megan, Bethany, Erika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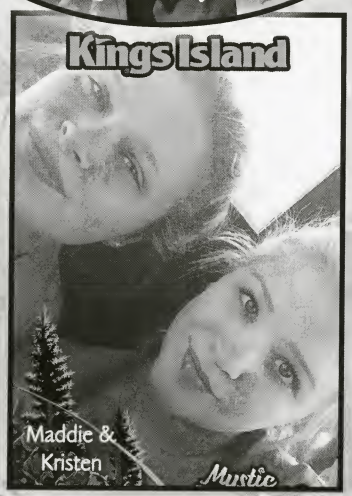
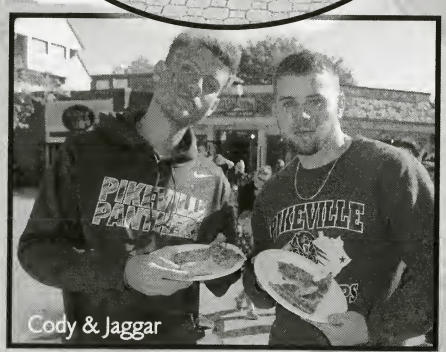


Austin, Kennedy, Brooklyn, Lexie, Dalton

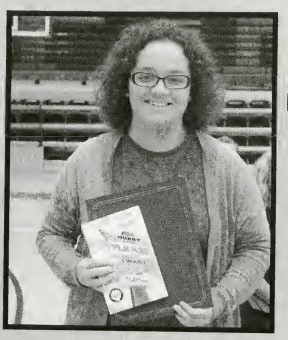


Callie, Hannah, Cody, Ethan

Celebrating Student Success

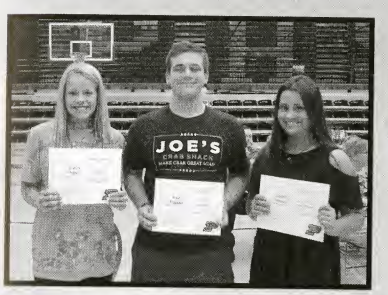
Governor's Scholars Program
Lindsey McNamee, Haseeb Ahmad, Paige Workman

Frederick Douglas/Susan B. Anthony Award, George Eastman Young Leaders Award, Bauch/Lomb Honorary Science Award: Alex, Haseeb, Abrial



U of L John Yarmuth Book Award: Abrial Reed

The annual Awards Day on Tuesday, May 16, provided an opportunity to celebrate several students' accomplishments in the classroom.

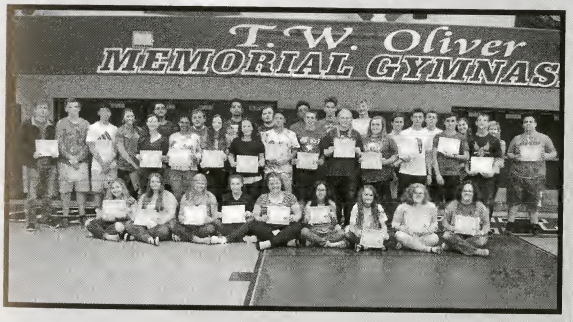


Rogers Scholars Program
Emily Crum, Brock Runyon, Olivia Whitfield

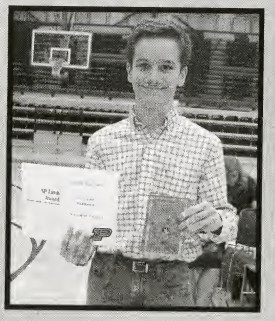
HOBY Award
Madhu Ammisetty and Cami Gaunt

Gatton Academy
Mattie Allara

University of Kentucky Alumni Book Award: Lindsey McNamee



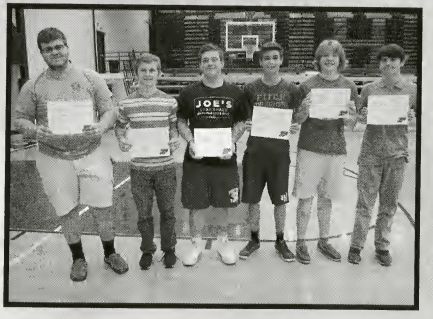
Perfect Attendance Grades 9 - 12



AP Latin Award: Paul Keaton

Spanish I Award
Madhu Ammisetty, Cami Gaunt, Tanner Skeens

Spanish 2 Award
Natasha Terry, Tanner Thompson, Rebecca Clark, William Chang, Camryn Slone



Senior Honor Band
Charlie Broderick, Jared Green, Brock Runyon, Caleb Scott, Jeremy Potter, Ross Damron

All District Band
Katie Stiles, Alyssa Francis, Jeremy Potter, Quinn Helfen, Ross Damron, Brock Runyon

All State Chorus
Hannah Auton, Phoebe Thornbury, Britney Hopkins, Maura McCoy, Zan McCoy, Jack Lakin

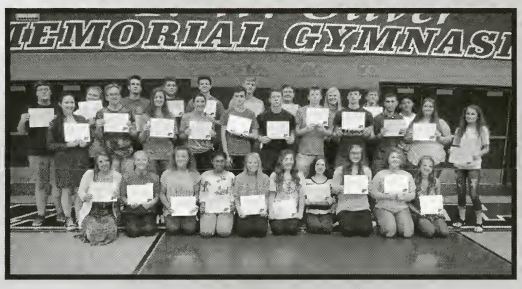
Chorus Awards

Art Awards
(front) Maura, Lynne, Phoebe, Hannah; (back) Fenia Kristen, Kaila, Paige, Sam

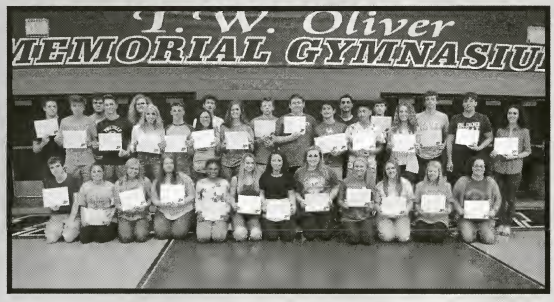
Computer Literacy, Web Design, and Game Design

English Awards

Fine Arts Award
Tanner Thompson, Clay Slone, Cami Gaunt, McKinley Webb, Madhu Ammisetty, Braden Kendal



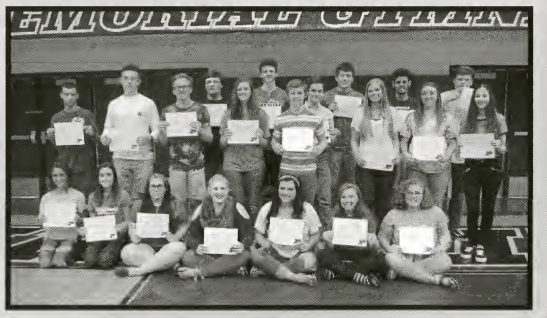
Math Awards



Science Awards

"You are capable of more than you know. Choose a goal that seems right for you and strive to be the best, however hard the path. Aim high. Behave honorably. Prepare to be alone at times, and to endure failure. Perisit! The world needs all you can give."
-E. O. Wilson

AP Language/AP Literature
Megan Thacker, Lexi Lewis, Cameron Lane, Elisabeth Staggs, Katie Stiles, Paige Workman, Canaan Godsey

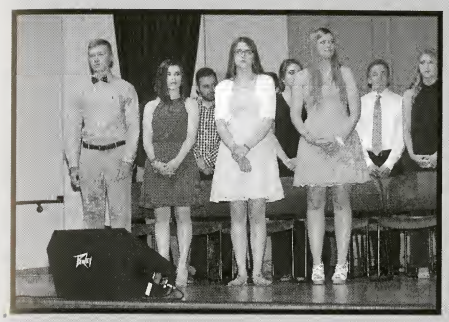


Social Studies/History Awards

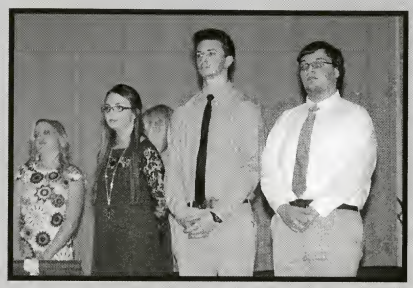
Senior Honors Program

A first at PHS was the Senior Honors Program on Wednesday, May 17 in Alumni Auditorium. Student leaders from each club participated in the program.

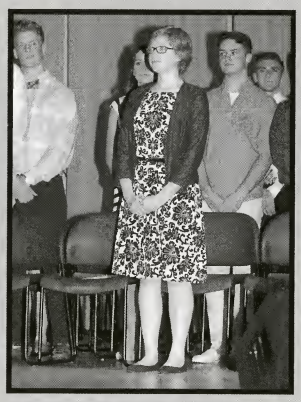
College representatives were on hand to present scholarship certificates and faculty presented class awards, commendations, and club honor cords and stoles.



Invocation - Emily Hughes

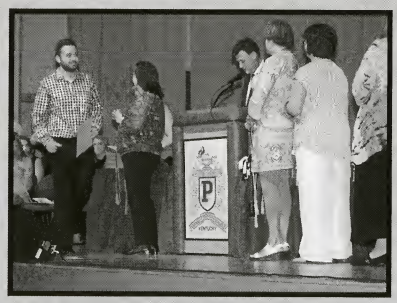


State Beta Club President
Maddie Willard



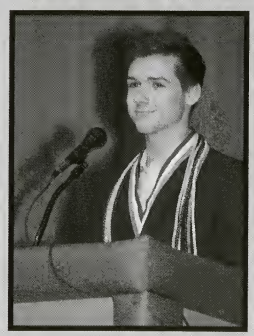
Welcome - Ryan Crum

Presentation of Class Awards
Kennedy Keeys



Presentation of Graduation Commendations and Club Honor Cords and Stoles

Benediction
Haley Williamson



Congratulations
Will Williamson

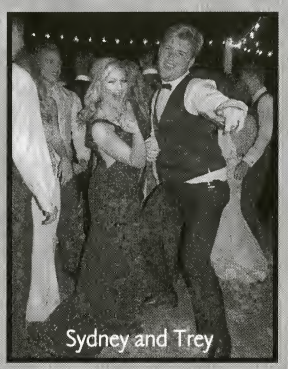
Through the Looking Glass

Prom 2017

Prom King & Queen

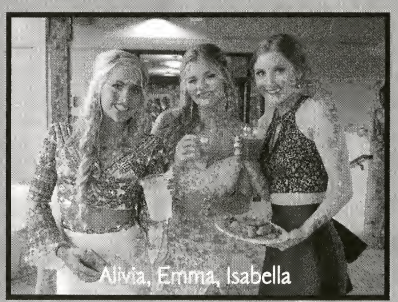
Clay Slone
and Savanna Nunemaker

Prom Court (from left) Lexie Damron, Andrew McNamee, Savannah Little, Braden Kendall, Catie Rowe, Cameron Alley, Queen Savanna Nunemaker, King Clay Slone, Kristen Maynard, Mikey McDonald, Kennedy Keeys, Austin Salyer, Erika Conn, Blake Charles



Sydney and Trey

Baby and Ethan



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Austin, Nash, Caleb

Noah and Abby

Makenzie, Mason, Syndee

Celeste, Brooklyn, Lexie

Lyndsey, Josh

Dalton, Lindsey

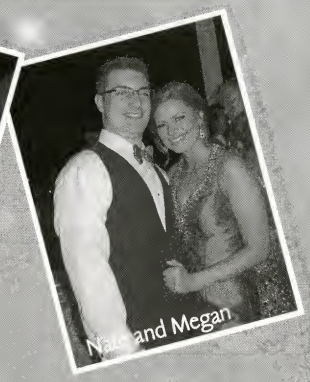
Thearose, Brandon, Charlie

Rebecca and Alexis

Taz, Hannah, Devin, Sydney

Jay and Halie

Canaan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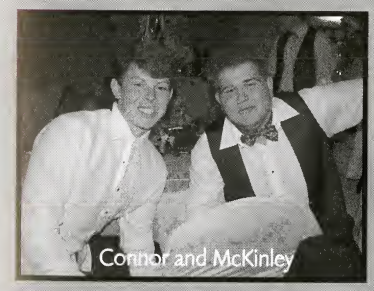
Alexis

Jose and MacKenzie

Collin, Alicia, Callie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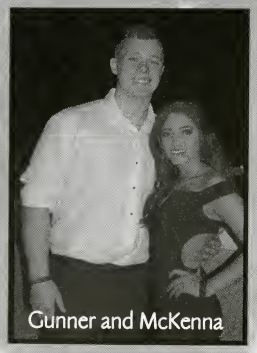
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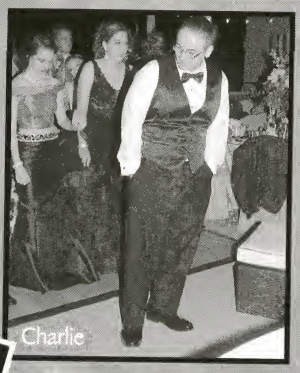
Nathan and Zach

Braden

Ryan and Emily

Jonathon, Staci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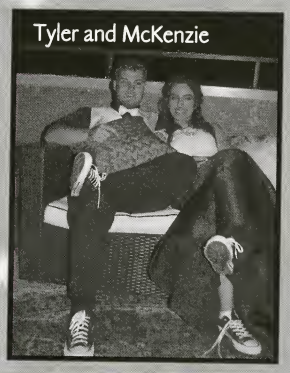
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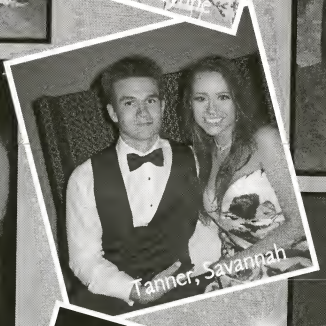
Christen, Catie, Annie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Cassidy, Jonah, Elisabeth, Noah

Zach, Abby

Logan and Alexis

Blake

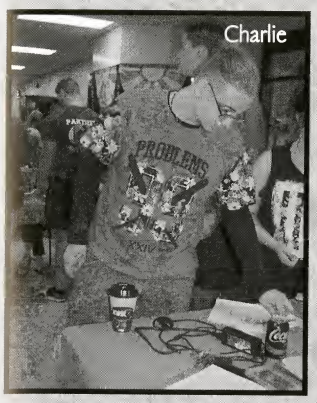
The Celebration Continues

Project Prom

The fun continued after Prom at Project Prom. Students crowded into the commons area and the gym for excitement all night long.

The fast paced, mulit player redneck inflatable game seemed to be the favorite. It definitely challenged the participants' agility, balance, and indurance.

As always, the crowning of Mr. Project Prom brought laughter to the crowd. McKinley Webb won the 'coveted' title.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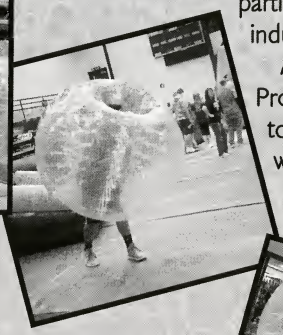

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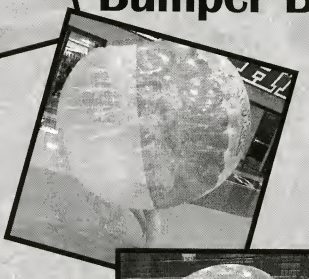

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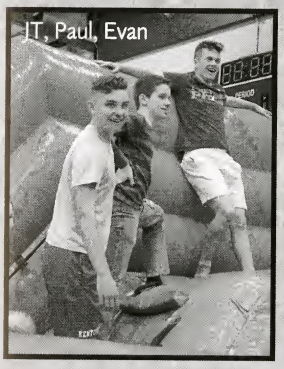
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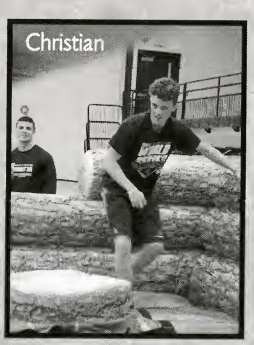
Annie, Thearose

Redneck Game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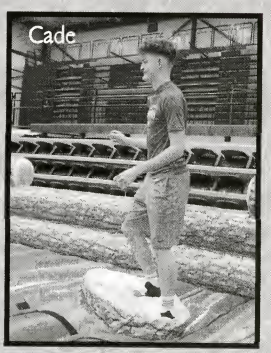
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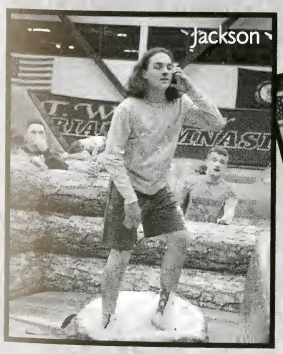
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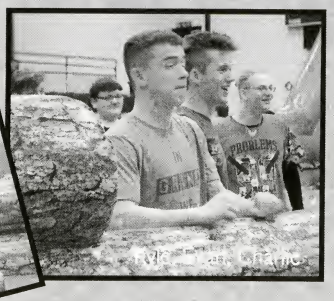

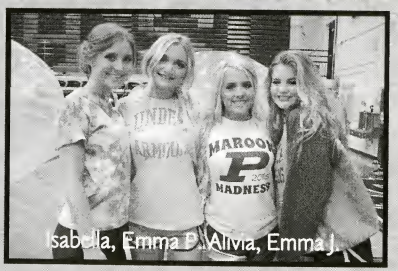
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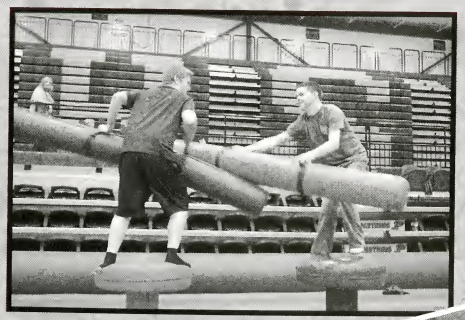

Just Dance

Raven

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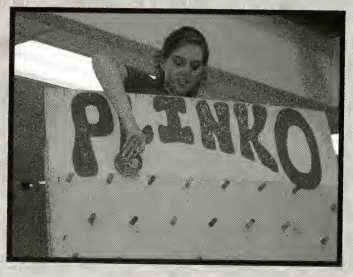
Wheel of Fortune

Jay, Austin, Halie

Plinko, Twister, Fear Factor, Photo Booth, Corn Hole



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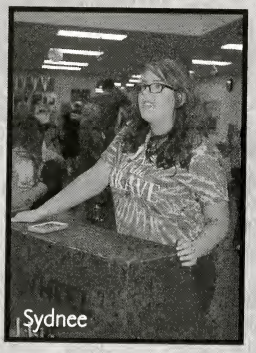
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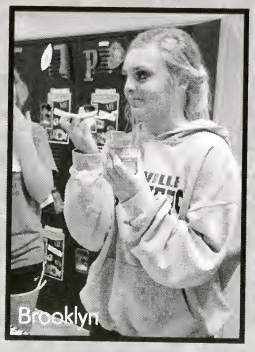
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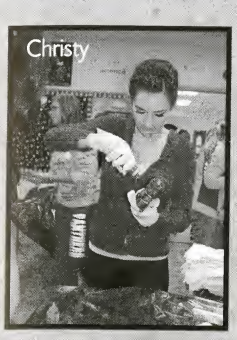
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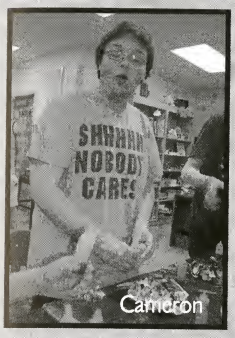

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Carmen

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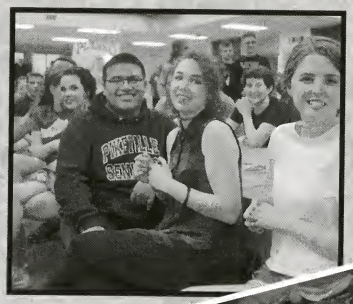
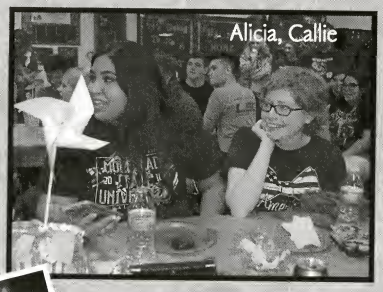
Cassady, Kevin

Just Hangin' Out

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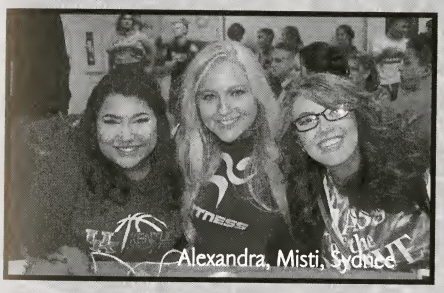
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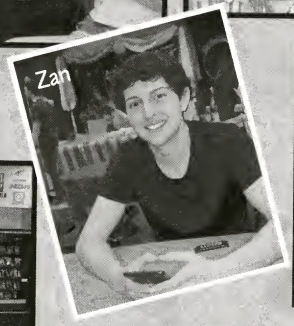
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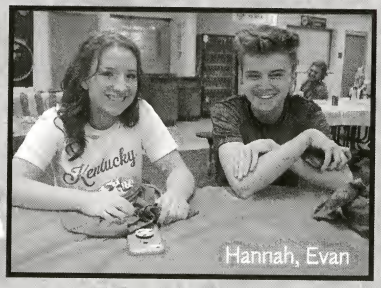
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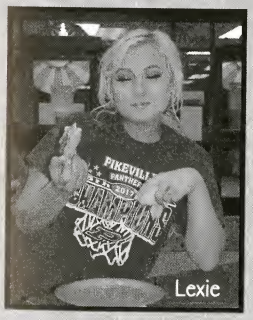
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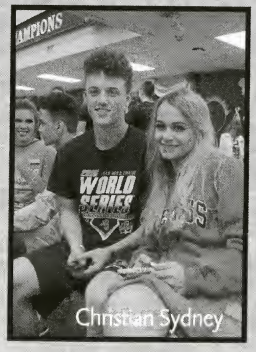

Christian Sydney

Mr. Project Prom (from left) winner McKinley Webb, Canaan Godsey, Charlie Wolfel, Tyler Elkins, Blake Charles, Austin Salyer

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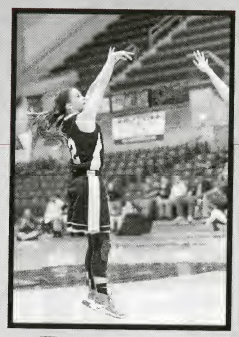
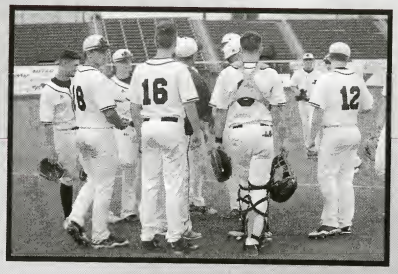
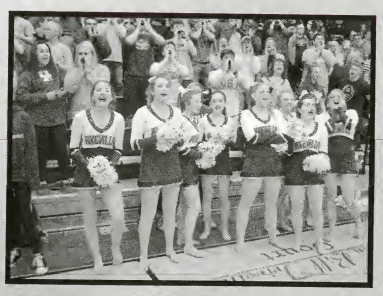
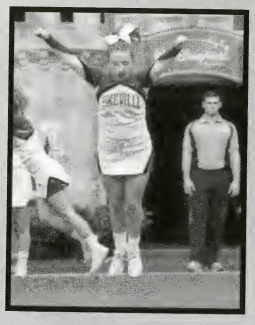
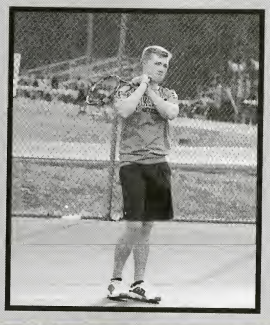
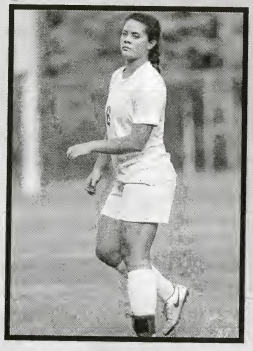


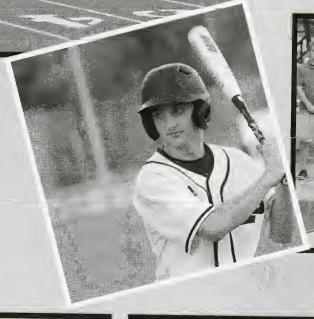


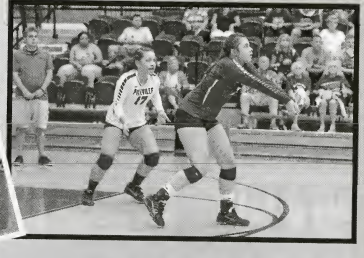


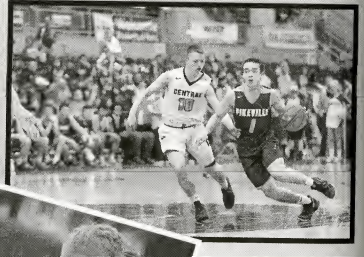


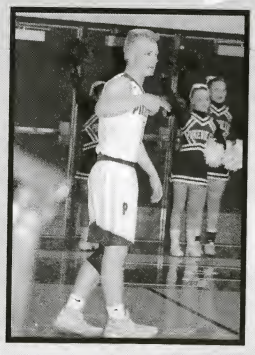


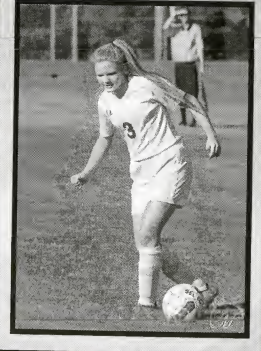


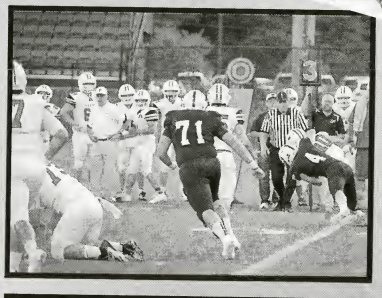


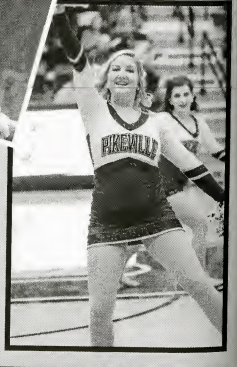


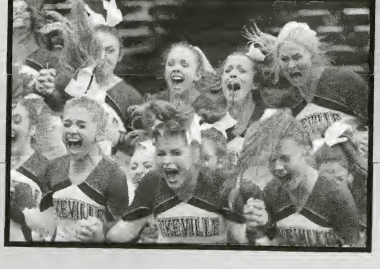












Racing to State

Cross Country Team (row 1) Keegan Justice, Dylan Street, Jestina Davidson, Owen Sizemore, Asheton Godsey, Trey Hancock, Tiffany Copley, (row 2) Coach Adam Collins, Jason Lin, Colin Street, Harrison Booher, Canaan Godsey, Abby Napier, Alex Ross, Teddy Sizemore, Aaron Smart, Dillon Donithan, Wade Copley, Daniel McCoy, Coach Tara Potter

The boys team qualified for the State Cross County meet for the first time since 2008.

"The team this season was awesome! They came to work hard every day and every single practice," Coach Collins said.

"Their high intensity and effort in practices and meets were really fun to be around as a coach and was contagious for the athletes. Every time I challenged them, they answered the call. I am looking for exciting things for this program."

State Qualifiers
Senior Canaan Godsey
Freshmen Harrison Booher, Daniel McCoy
8th Graders Jason Lin, Alex Ross
7th Graders Drew Hurley, Aaron Smart

*Harrison placed 84th out of 219 runners with a time of 18:35.33.

Seniors

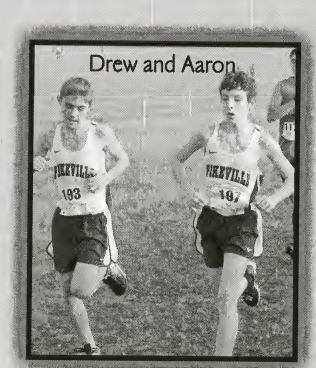
Kolby Ratliff

Canaan Godsey

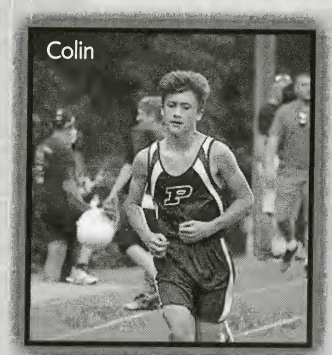
Kenzi H & Kenzi L

Jason

Harrison



Drew and Aaron



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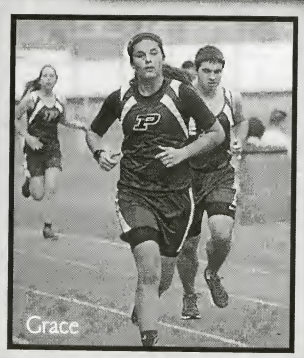


Grace

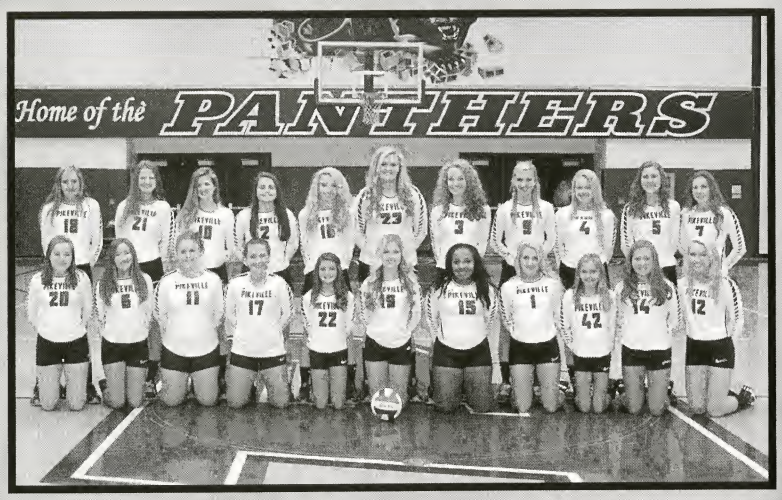
Dylan

"The real purpose of running isn't to win a race, it is to test the limits of the human heart."

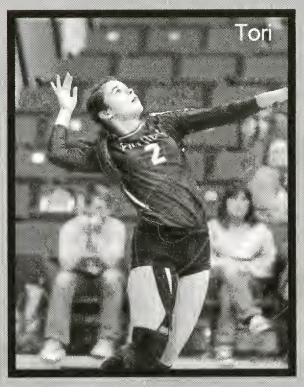
Dominating the Court

Season Highlights

Jade Thornbury **- 1000th Career Assist**
Lindsey McNamee **- 500th Career Kill, 15th**
Region Player of the Year, Honorable Mention All-State
All-District Team
Lyndsie Bartley
Tori Gayheart
Lindsey McNamee
Riley Tavis



Girls Varsity Volleyball Team (row 1) Emily Gearheart, Kendal Hall, Bailey Jo Stiltner, Lyndsie Bartley, Tausha Justice, Sarah McCoy, Alexia Wilkerson, Alivia Gearheart, McKinlee Potter, Kara Lee, Jaden Edmonds, (row 2) Riley Tavis, Kaylee Wells, Emma Johns, Tori Gayheart, Madison Younce, Leslie Stewart, Lindsey McNamee, Jade Thornbury, Emily Crum, Isabella Justice, Kennedy Jones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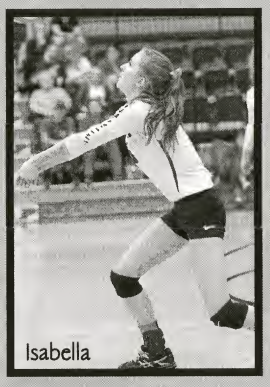
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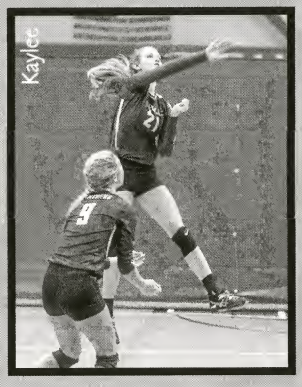
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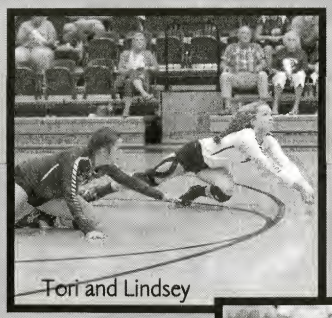
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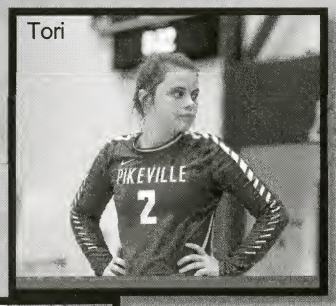

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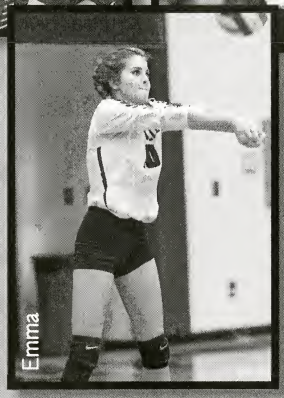
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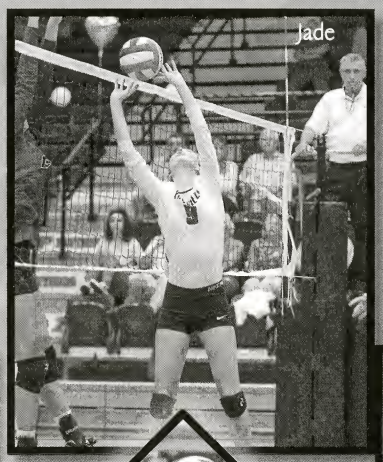
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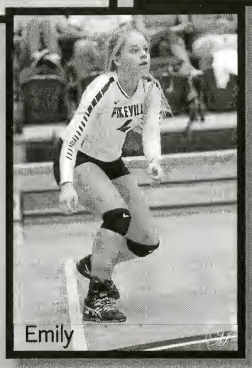
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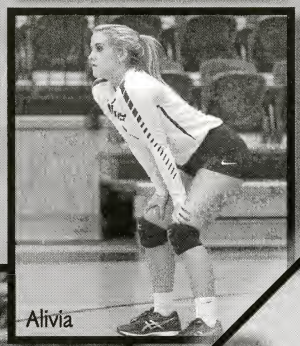
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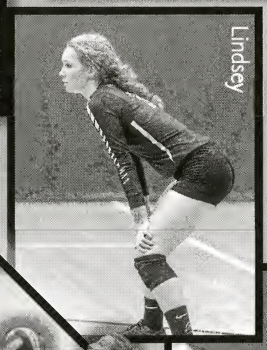
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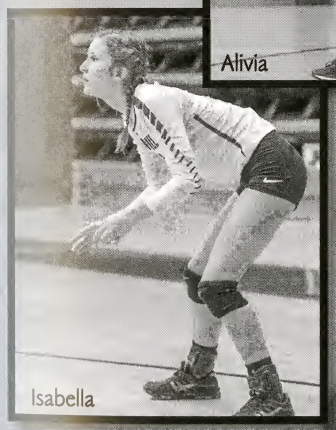
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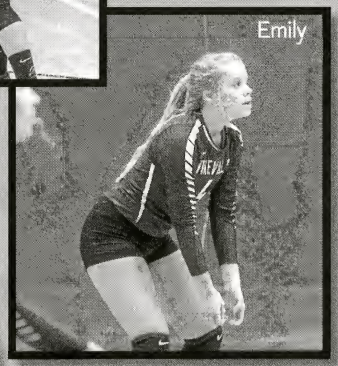
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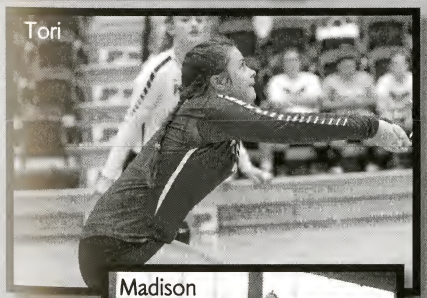
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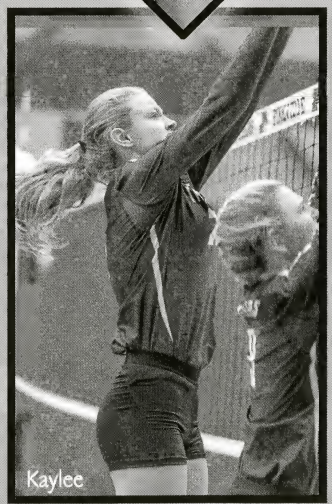
Kaylee

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Sarah

Out *Fore* Victory

With new coach, Lyle Blackburn, and two seniors, Lauren Blackburn and Rachael Blackburn, the girls golf team was excited for another season on the green.

After placing second in their first tournament in Ashland, it was time for the All A Regional Tournament. The team placed second, with Tiffany Lin placing second individually and Leah Vanderbeck placing third individually, which qualified both for the All A State Tournament in Somerset, Kentucky, at the Woodsen Ben Golf Course.

At the KHSAA Regional Tournament, the team placed third, with Tiffany Lin and Lauren Blackburn both qualifying individually for the State Tournament in Bowling Green, Kentucky, at the Bowling Green Country Club.

Girls Varsity Golf Team (from left) Rachael Blackburn, Coach Lyle Blackburn, Lauren Blackburn, Tiffany Lin, and Leah Vanderbeck

Rachael

Lauren

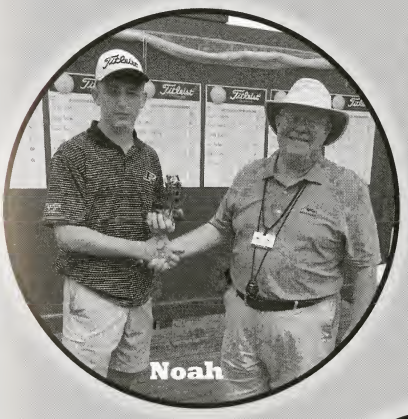
SENIORS

Boys Varsity Golf Team (from left) Jonathan Bryant, Noah Thornbury, McKinley Webb, Connor Risner, Cameron Alley, Jordan Ratliff, and Coach David Scott

After spending afternoons and weekends playing in the summer, the boys golf team was anxious to get the season started, especially the four returning seniors - Cameron Alley, Connor Risner, Noah Thornbury, and McKinley Webb. The team also welcomed first year coach, David Scott.

They played in four tournaments and placed in the top three in all of them. The team placed first at the All A Regional Golf Tournament, qualifying them for the All A State Tournament in Somerset, Kentucky.

With team success, there also comes individual success. Noah placed second place at the Ashland Invitational. McKinley placed third at the Paintsville Invitational, and Cameron led the team in lowest scoring average during the regualar season.



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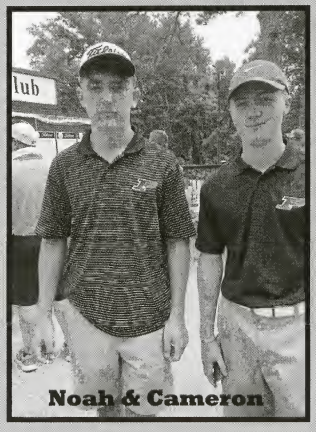
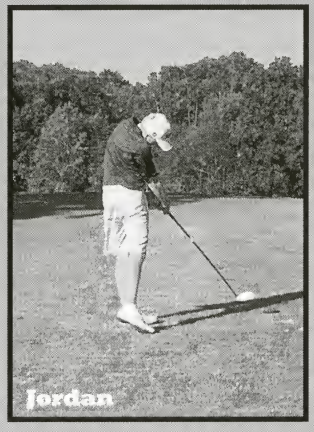
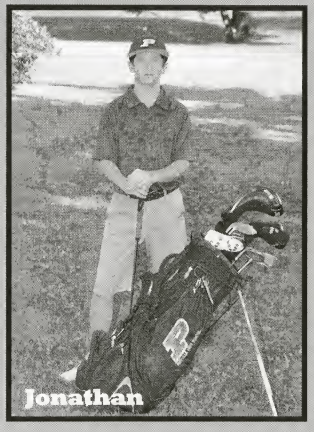






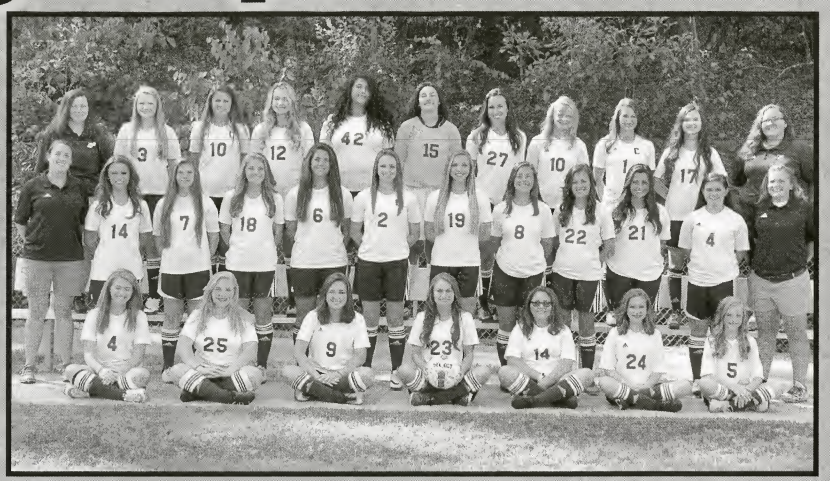
Kicking it Up a Notch

The Lady Panthers were pleased finishing the season with a 10-9 winning record. Defeating their main opponent, Belfry, three times was a major accomplishment.

Head Coach Allie Allen said, "Our goal for the season was to bring back a trophy and win back our spot in the 15th Regional Tournament."

The girls defeated Belfry 1-0 in the first round of the District Tournament and ended up with the runner-up trophy. They advanced to regional tournament play, achieving their goal for the season.

Camryn Slone was named to First Team All-Region, and Savanna Nunemaker, Alexis Stanley, Cassidy Lowe, and Keely Coleman received All-Region Honorable Mention.



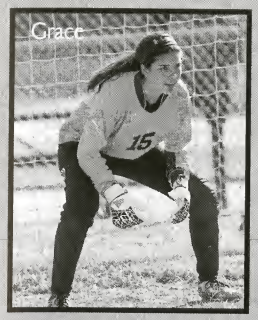
Girls JV & Varsity Soccer Teams (row 1) Makenzie Ison, Sarah Givens, Keely Coleman, Cassidy Lowe, Lexie Blackburn, Kylie Jones, Taylor McKinney, (row 2) Coach Amanda Hartsock, Savannah Crider, Alex Vanhoose, Abby Smart, Erika Conn, Savanna Nunemaker, Megan Thacker, Madison Jones, Cassady Hall, Olivia Whitfield, Sophie Elswick, Coach Allie Allen, (row 3) Coach Lillie Pennington, Elisabeth Staggs, Camryn Slone, Sydney Williamson, Gabriella Hunter, Grace Bartley, Annie Salyer, Olivia Hall, Alexis Stanley, Amy Adkins, Coach Anna Sisco

Seniors

Erika Conn

Savanna Nunemaker

Megan Thacker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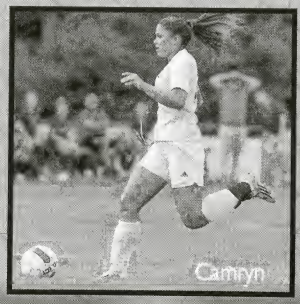
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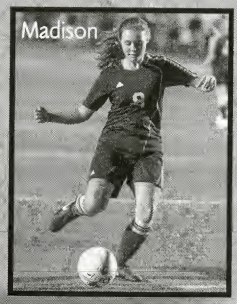
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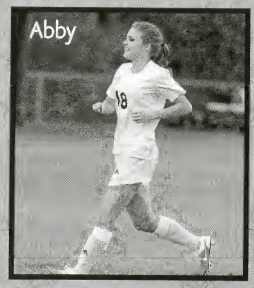
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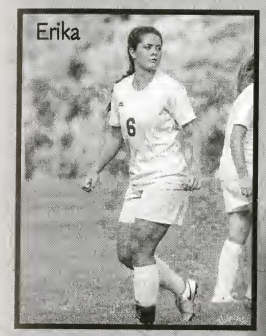
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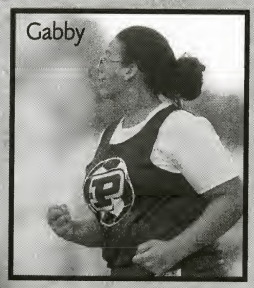
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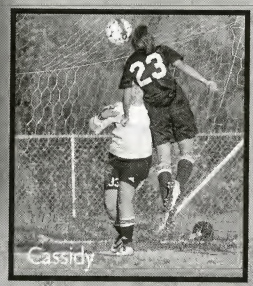
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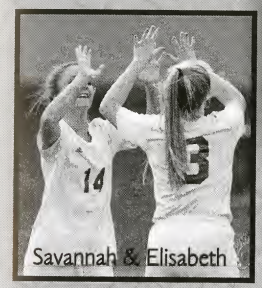
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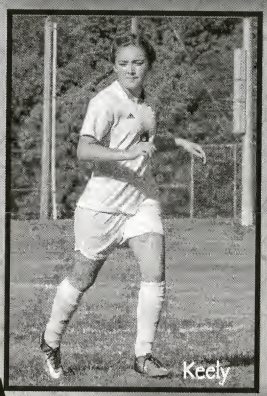
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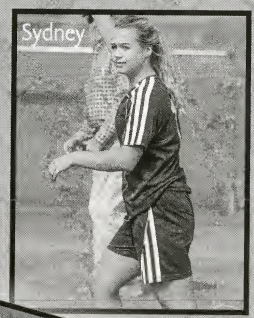
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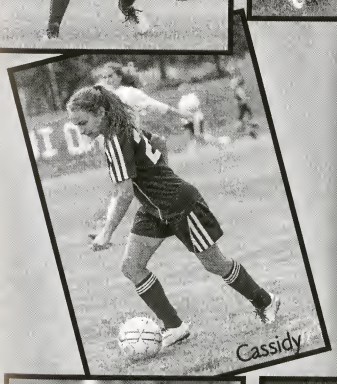
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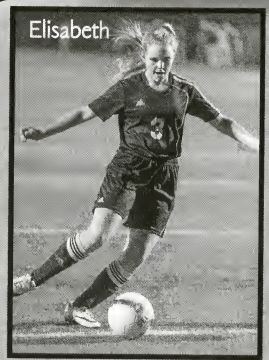
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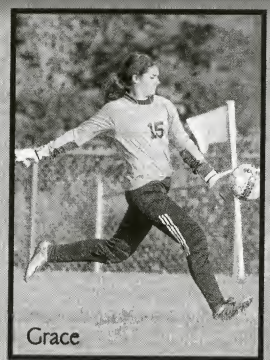
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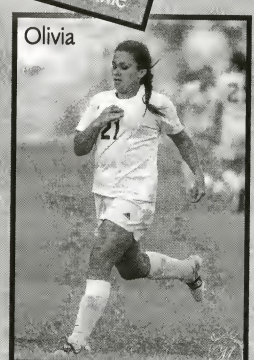
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UNITED BY TEAM, DRIVEN BY PASSION

Team Accomplishments
Season Record 13 - 5
15th Rgion All A Champions
58th District Champions

All District Team
Austin Ball, Cade Byers, Campbell Dawahare, Connor Risner

Boys Soccer Team (row 1) Noah Little, Trenton Allara, Alex Chang, Tyler McKinney, Jose Childers, Eduardo Childers, Campbell Dawahare, Adam Swofford, Tanner Hamilton, William Fleniken, (row 2) Coach Joe Dan Vanhoose, Humza Ahmad, Evan Swofford, Haseeb Ahmad, Cade Byers, Austin Ball, Evan Hamilton, Josh Williams, Tanner Thompson, Connor Risner, Bailey Lockhart, Cody Ratliff, Quinn Helfen, Andrew Harris, Coach Exon Majivar

SENIORS

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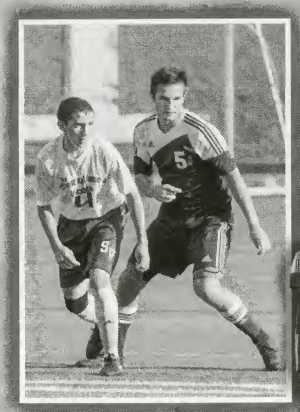

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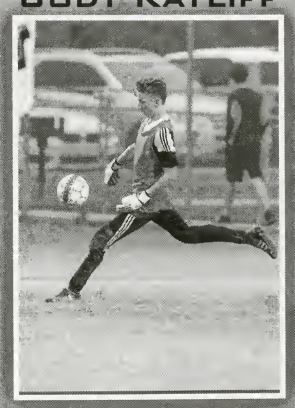

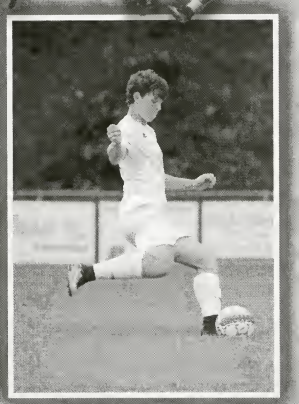

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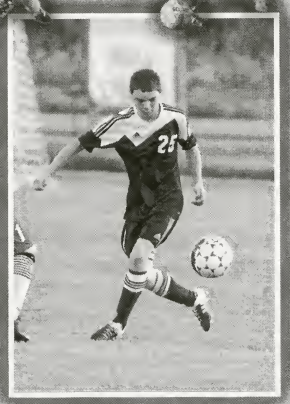

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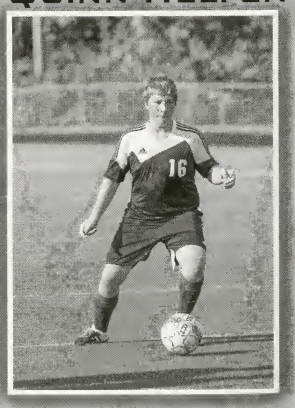

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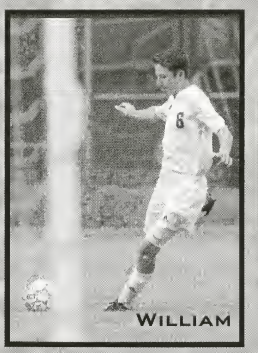
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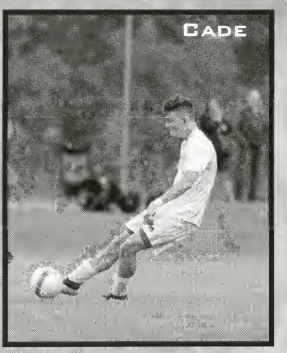
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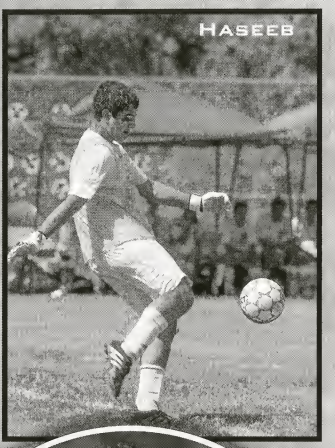
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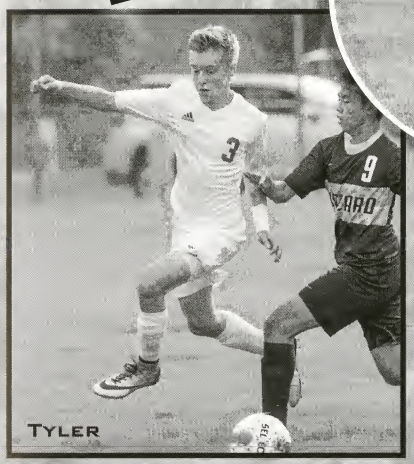
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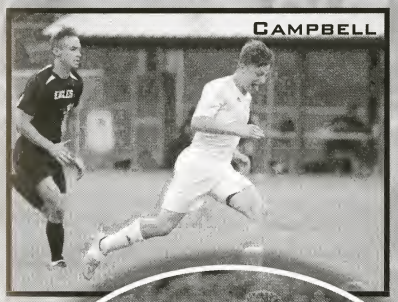
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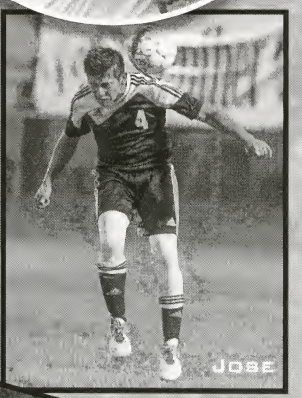
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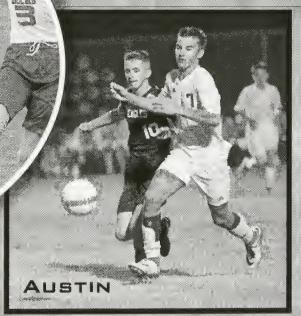
Austin

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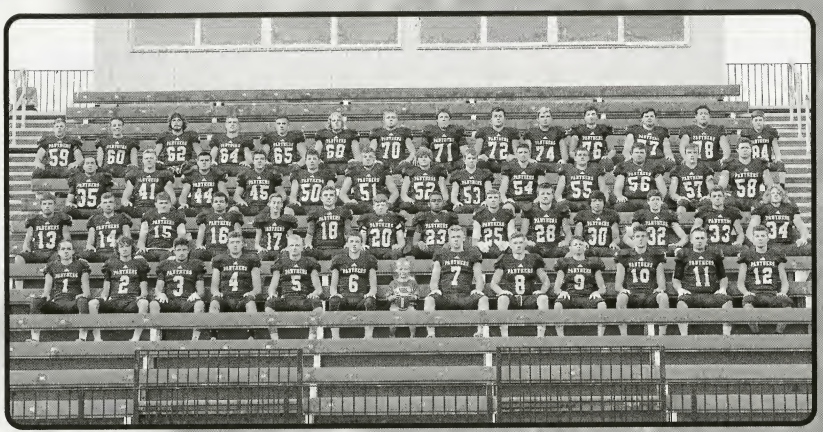
Manuel

Noah

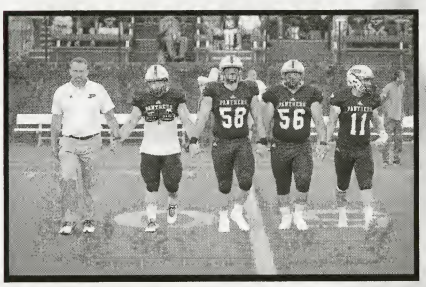
Trenton

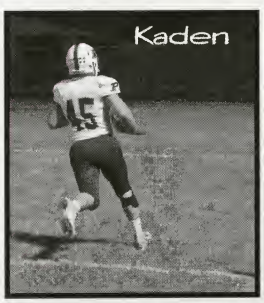
BE THE STANDARD

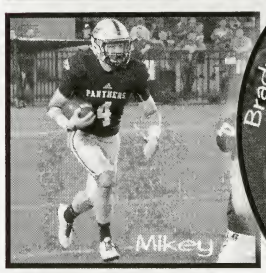
Team Accomplishments
Season Record 10-3
*Won Pike County Bowl
Defeated Letcher Central 30-6
*Undefeated in District Play
*Region Runner-up

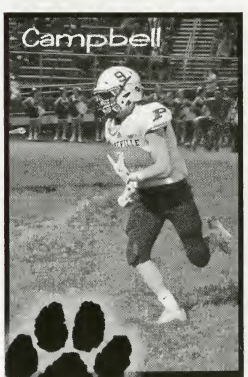


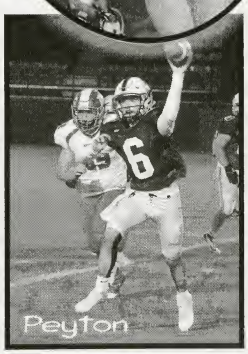
Varsity Football Team (row 1) Jackson Hensley, Seth Pugh, Tyler Elkins, Mikey McDonald, Evan Rhodes, Peyton Boyd-Blair, Cameron Sullivan, Andrew McNamee, Grant Folden, Campbell Dawahare, Wyatt Battaile, Clay Slone, Cody Dials, (row 2) Brody Birchfield, Zach Roberts, Julian Davenport, Jacob Lyons, JT Orem, Christian Billiter, Jonathan Ray, Jon Collum, Jose Galvan, Walker Hall, Connor Wright, Blake Charles, (row 3) Christian Johnson, Jesse Sparks, Nathan Collum, Kaden Caudill, Brad Bevins, Tyler Collins, Jacob Wilkerson, Eric Green, Braden Kendall, Brock Runyon, Austin Salyer, Braydan Keathley, Gunner Edmonds, (row 4) Cade Slater, Jackson Mullins, Nate Campoy, Nate Mattingly, Shaler Spencer, Bradyn Hunter, Zach Akers, Connor Sackmann, Matt Compton, Jacob Barber, Grant Tackett, Drew Owen

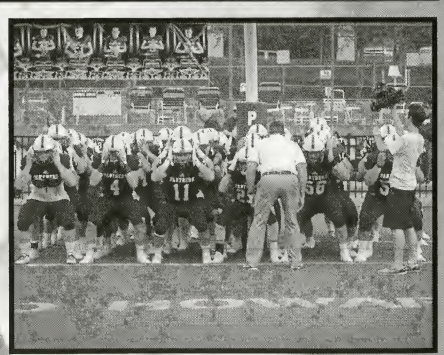












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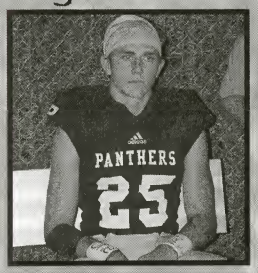

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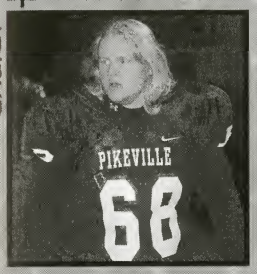

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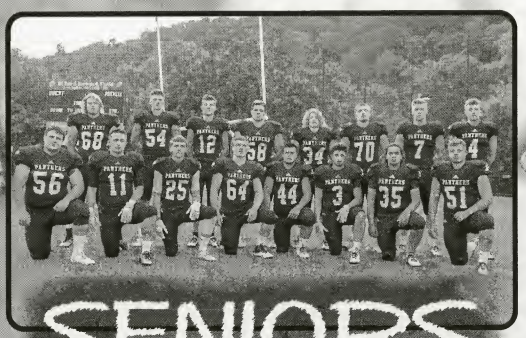

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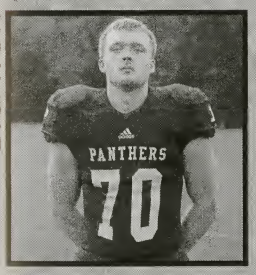

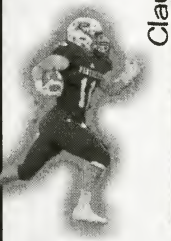

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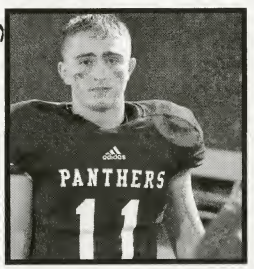

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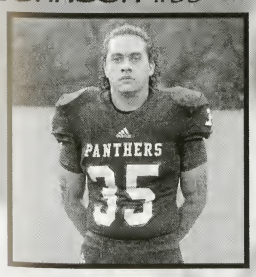

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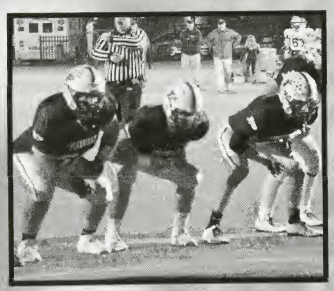

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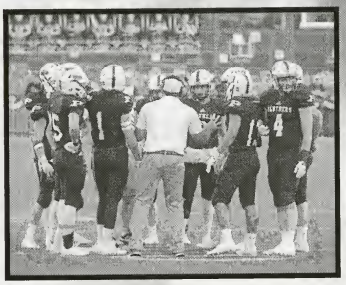

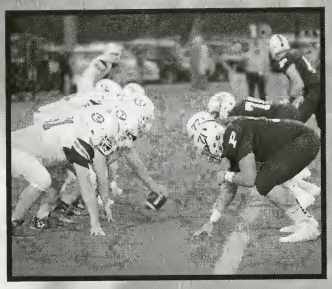

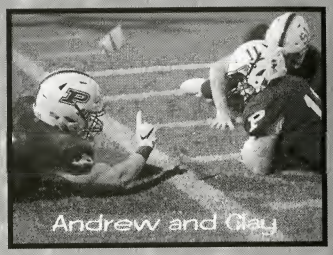
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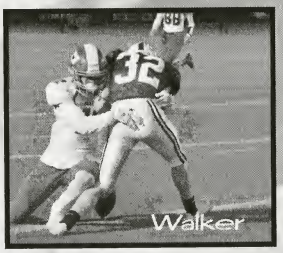
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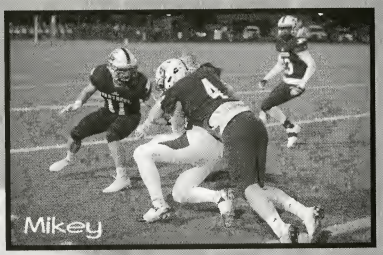
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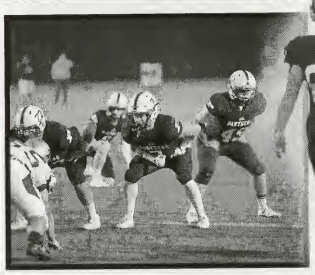

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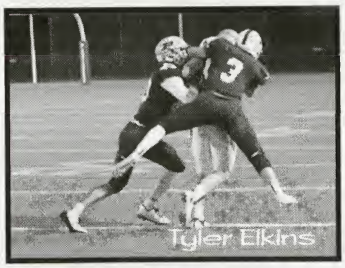
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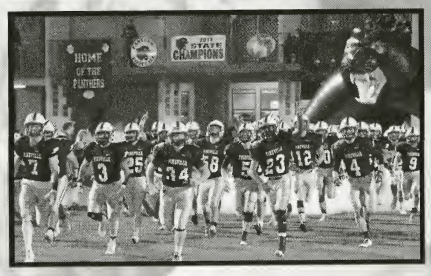

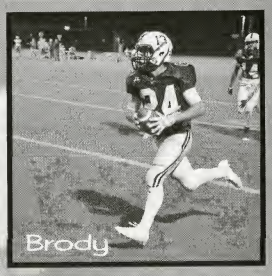
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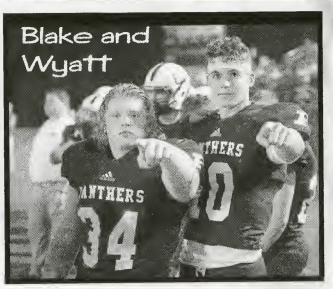
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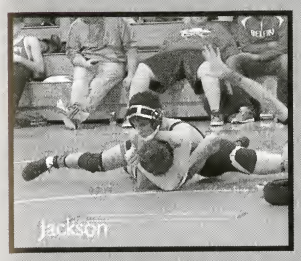
No Pain. No Gain.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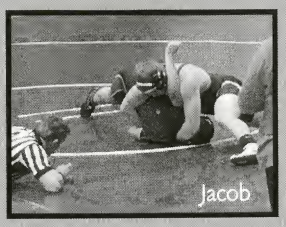
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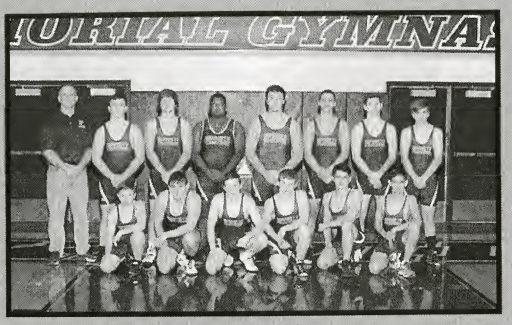
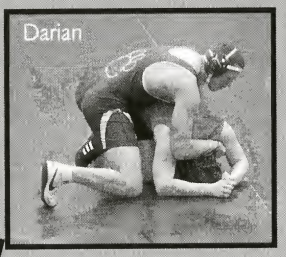


JV & Varsity Wrestling Teams (row 1) Owen Sizemore, Zach Roberts, Dillon Donithan, Eric Green, Jackson Holland, Grant Holland, (row 2) Coach Jody Holland, Nate Mattingly, Jacob Wilkerson, Noah Honaker, Zach Akers, Darian Akers, Grant Folden, Teddy Sizemore

Zack

Eric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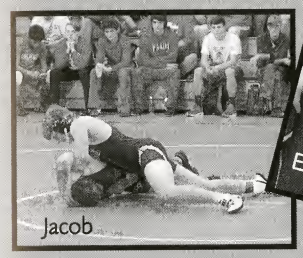
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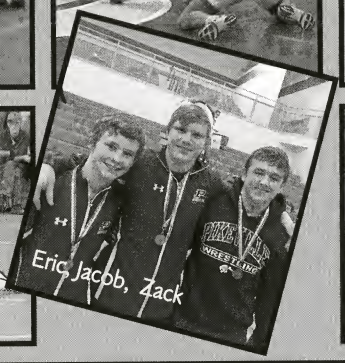
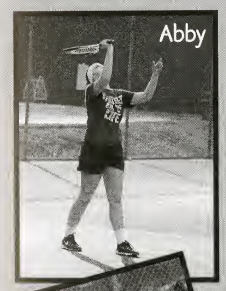

Eric, Jacob, Zack

Zack

The wrestling team had a successful season with three boys placing at region and qualifying for the state competition.

At region, Jacob Wilkerson, competing in the 182 weight class, placed 3rd; Eric Green, in the 138 weight class, placed 3rd; and Zack Roberts, in the 170 weight class, placed 4th.

Three Advance to State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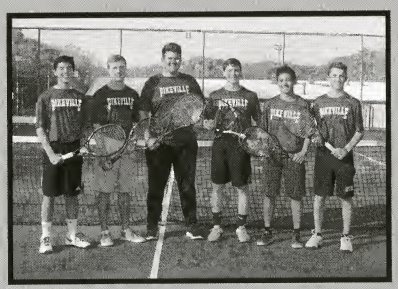
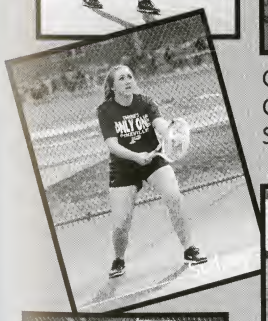
Girls Varsity Tennis Team (from left) Kassidy Caudill, Madhu Ammisetty, Abby Napier, Sydney Sampson, Rachael Blackburn

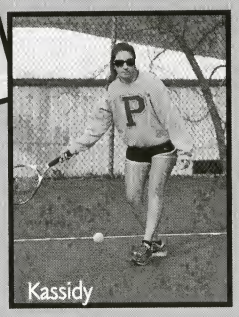


Boys Varsity Tennis Team (from left) William Chang, Cameron Alley, McKinley Webb, Walker Hall, Alex Chang, William Fleniken (not pictured: Paul Keaton)

The boys tennis team finished third in the team championship, and three players advanced to the state championship: Walker Hall in singles and Cameron Alley and McKinley Webb in doubles.

The boys ended the season 10-3 and the girls 7-5.

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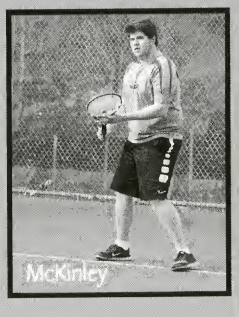
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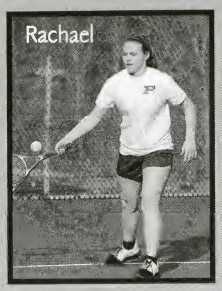
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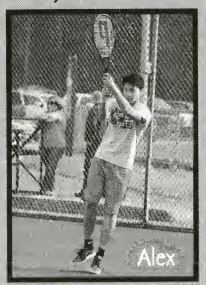
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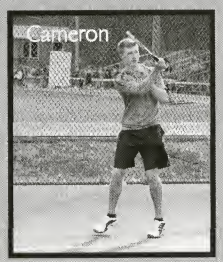
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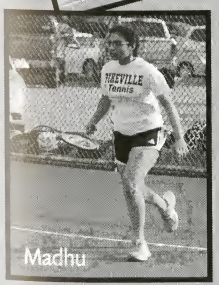
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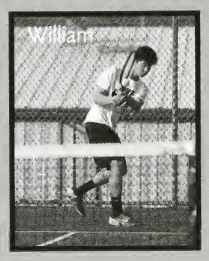
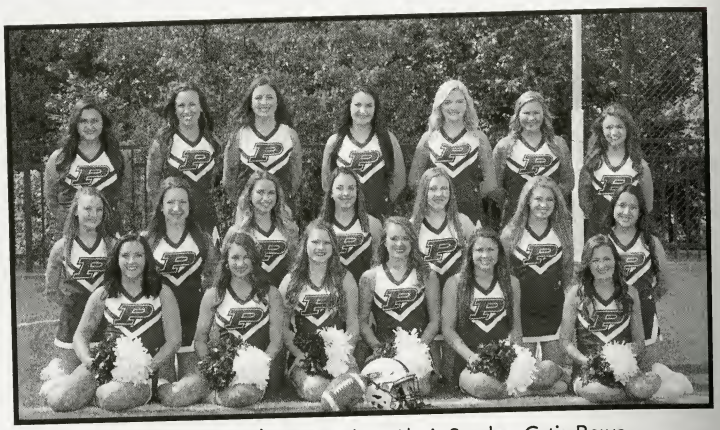

William

We made a STATEment

then...

The 2016-2017 cheerleading team continued the traditon of success at Pikeville High School. Early in the season, the girls took first place at Bluegrass Region. Then, they won State with a score of 89.7.

After State, the girls continued to prepare for the National Championship in Orlando, Flordia. They won their prelims group which advanced them straight to finals where they won with a score of 94.6, the highest score at the entire national competition. The PHS cheerleaders went undefeated, a first in Pikeville High School history.

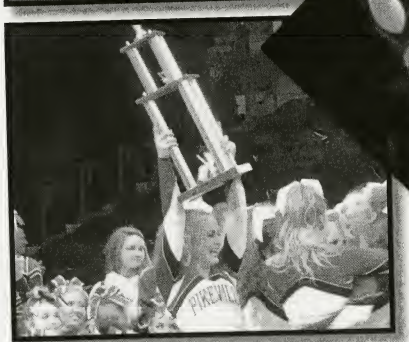


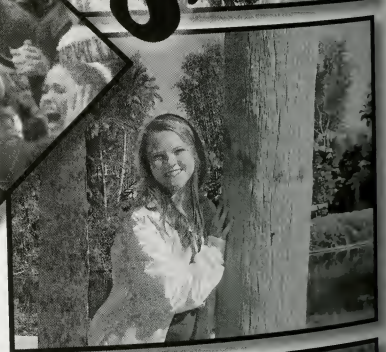
Varsity Cheerleaders (row 1) Kate Lackey, Alexis Stanley, Catie Rowe, Christen Ousley, Camryn Slone, Cassady Hall, (row 2) Elizabeth Brown, Hannah Potter, Alyssa Shaklin, Emily Hager, Hallie Hamilton, Makenzie Ison, Leire Galvon; (row 3) Oliva Whitfeld, Annie Salyer, Karson Bailey, Staci Morrison, Emma Perry, Kaitlyn Damron, Savannah Crider

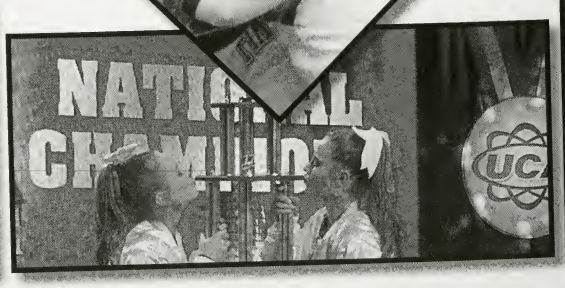
Christen Ousley

Catie Rowe

SENIORS







We went Back to Back

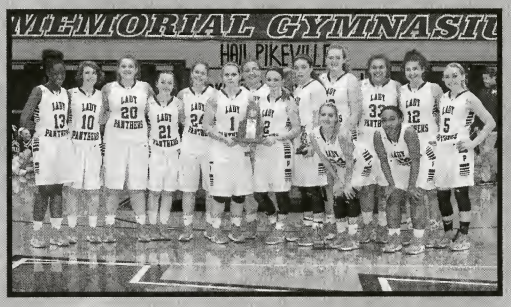
National Champions

A Season of Teamwork

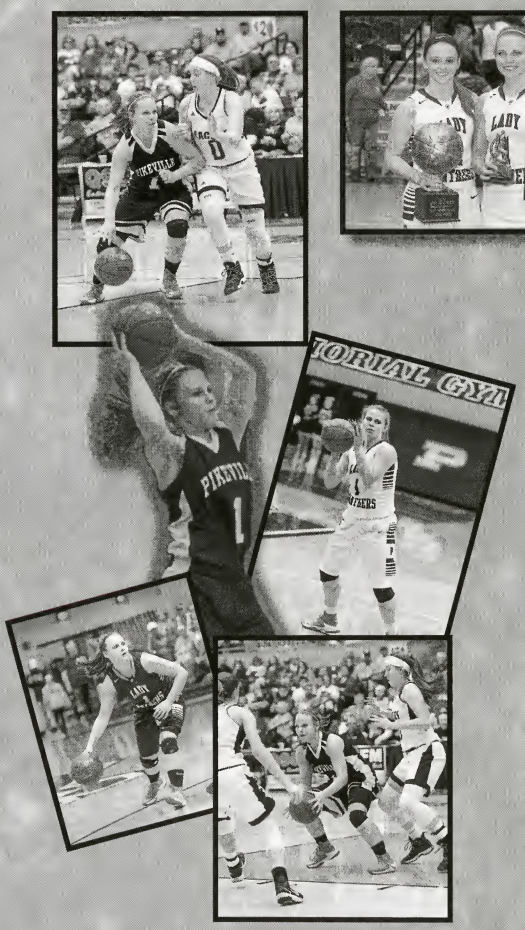
Team Accomplishments
Season Record 20 - 10
*59th District Runner-up
*Daytona Sunshine Beach Classic - third place
(beat two Nationally ranked teams)
*Beat Shelby Valley for the first time in three years.

Savanna Nunemaker reached 1500 career point and broke the school assist record.

"I am extremely proud of this team. They came in and worked so hard from the first day of practice to the last day," said first year coach, Kristy Orem.



Girls Varsity Basketball Team (row 1) Jewel Booher, Alexia Wilkerson, Allison Atkins, Grace Bartley, Allie Stapleton, Abby Gearheart, (row 2) Kelsy Jo Tackett, Jaden Edmonds, Savanna Nunemaker, Rachael Blackburn, Alivia Gearheart, Ajaree Massaquoi, (row 3) Madison Hopkins, Michaela Hunter, Leslie Stewart, Kirsten Cole, Madison Thacker, Gabriella Hunter



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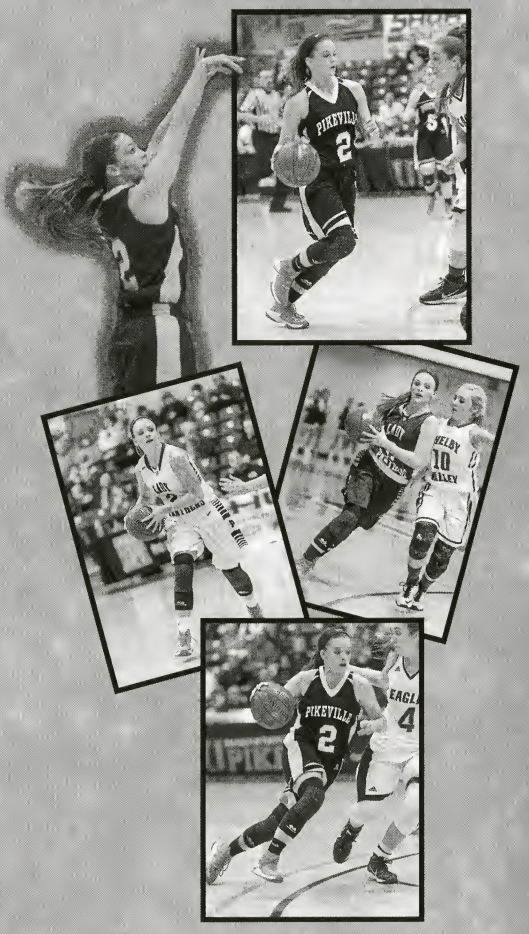
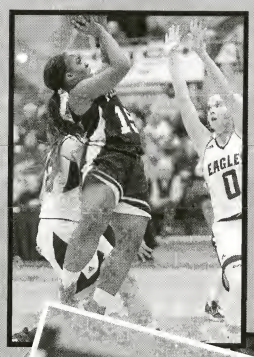
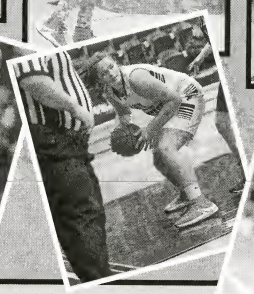
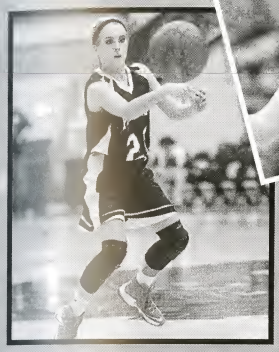


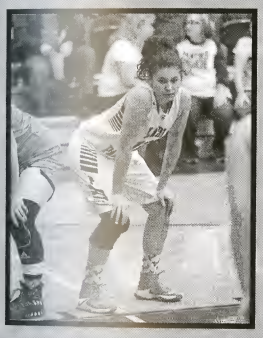
Savanna Nunemaker

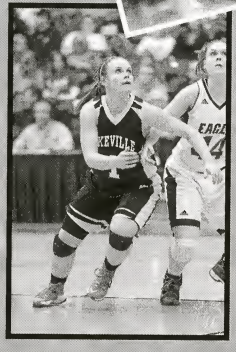
ONE TEAM
ONE BEAT

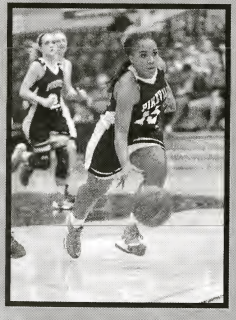


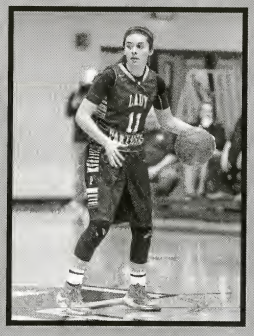
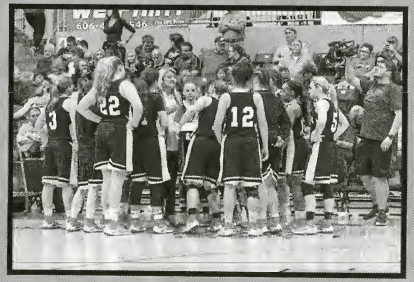


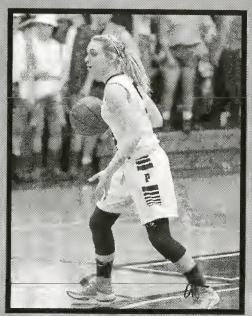








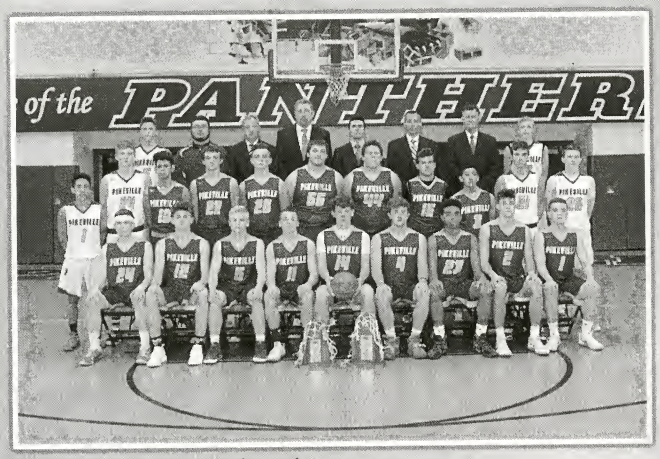


A Trip to the Sweet Sixteen

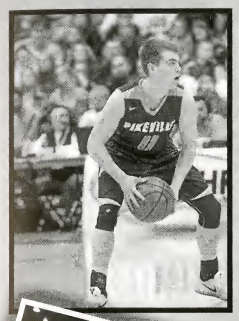
Team Accomplishments
Season Record 23 - 9
*59th District Champs
*15th Region Champs
*A trip to the KHSAA State Basketball Tournament
*Ranked fourth defensively in the State
*10th Best in the State for Margin of Victory

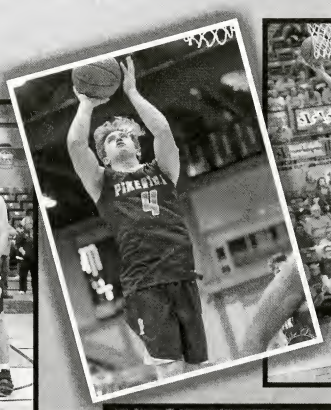
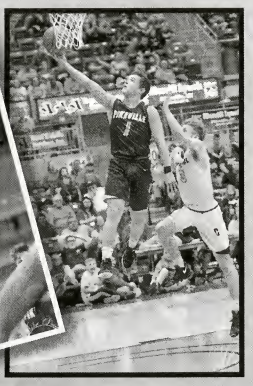
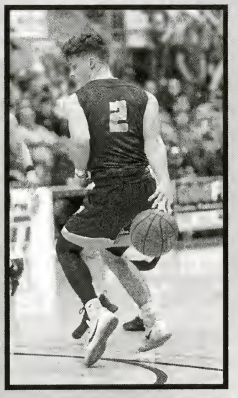
Wyatt Battaile joined the 1000 Point Club on December 20, 2016, against Madison Southern.

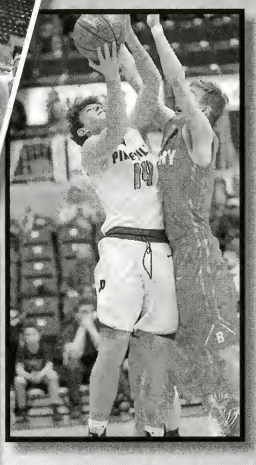
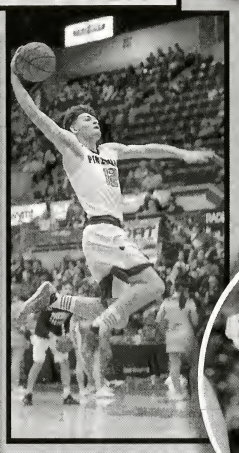
"As a coach, it's so great to see a team that continues to improve every single day. I think that is what determines your success. It was a joy to watch this group of guys thoughout the season," said first year coach, Elisha Justice.

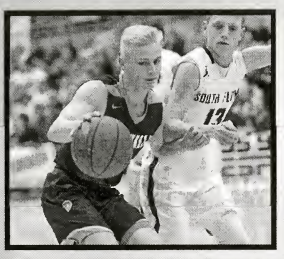
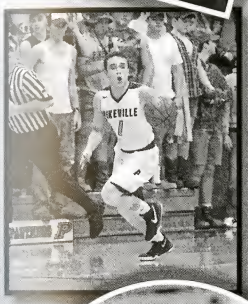


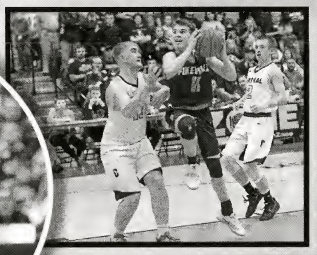
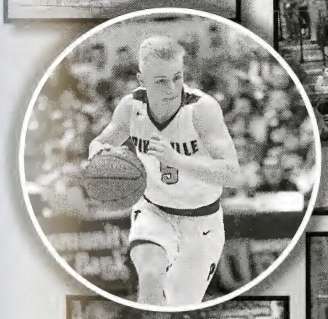
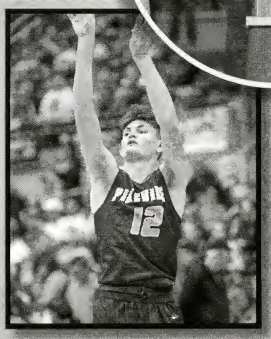
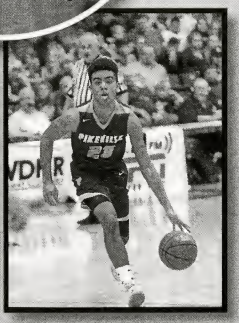
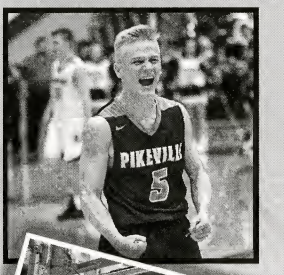
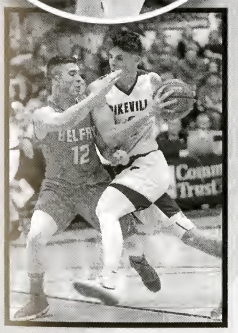
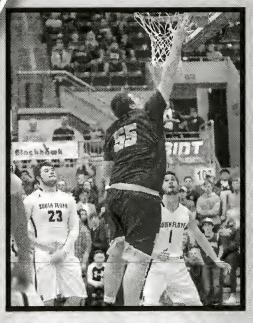
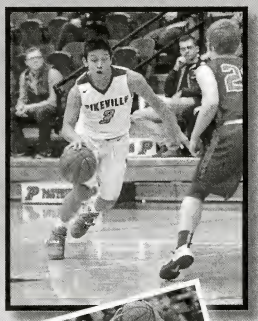
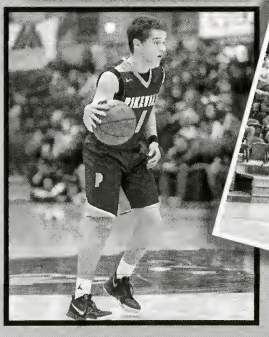
Varsity Boys Basketball (row 1) Kobe Brown, Cade Byers, Evan Rhodes, Connor Roberts, Connor Risner, Mikey McDonald, Christian Billiter, Wyatt Battaile, Kyle Watkins, (row 2) Edwardo Childers, Connor Byers, Noah Atkins, Seth Pugh, JT Orem, Zach Hamilton, Bradyn Hunter, Grayson Harris, Jose Childers, Harrison Booher, Peyton Blair, (row 3) Zac Lockhart, manager Brandon Diaz, manager Ronnie Kidd, assist. coach Doug Powers, Head Coach Elisha Justice, asst. coach Jason Booher, Principal Dave Thomas, Laithan Hall

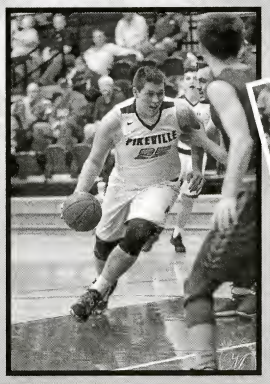
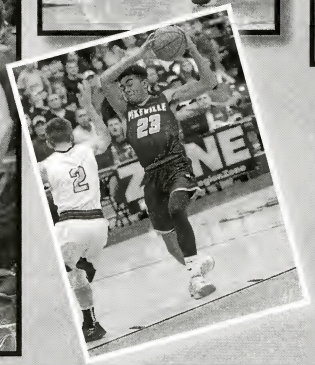
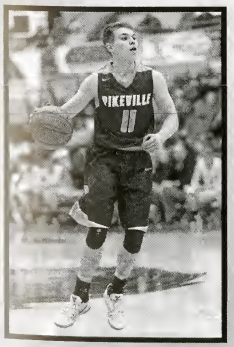


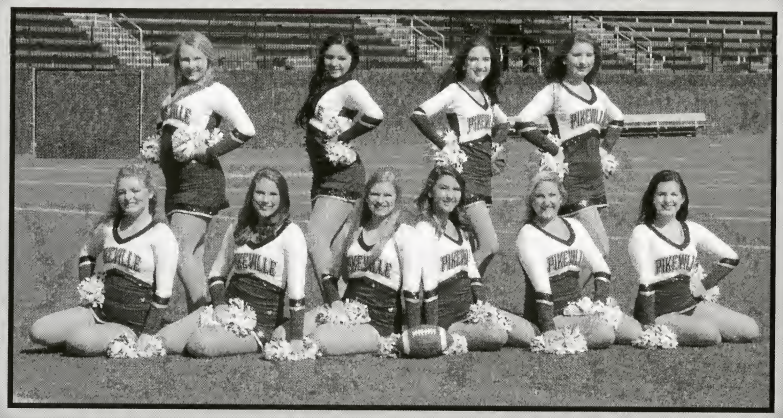




2017 KDCO State Champions

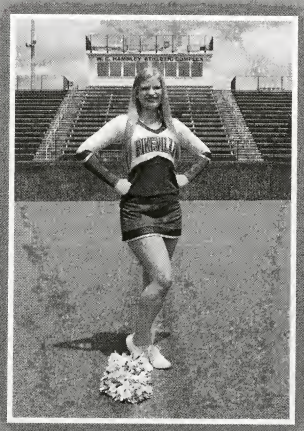
The dance team captured its first-ever state championship at the Kentucky Dance Coaches Organization on Feb. 19 in Frankfort.

The team of 10 girls performed the winning prop routine titled "Glam" in the small dance team category.

In Region competition, they won second in pom routine and first in prop routine. The team finished the sesaon by winning the Dance Team District Championship and cheering for the boys basketball team at Rupp Arena.



Varsity Dance Team (row 1) Brooklyn Newsome, Sylvia Justice, Megan Bailey, Kerrigan McPeek, Sydney May, Lynne Atkins, (row 2) Ally Sizemore, Kaila Zacarias, Maura McCoy, Lily Case



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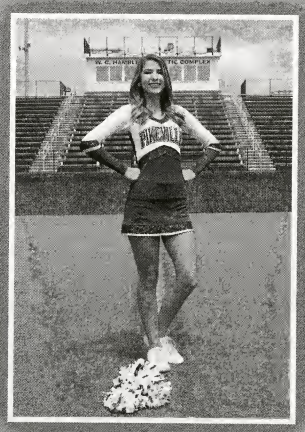

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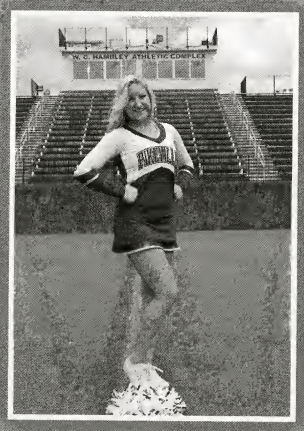

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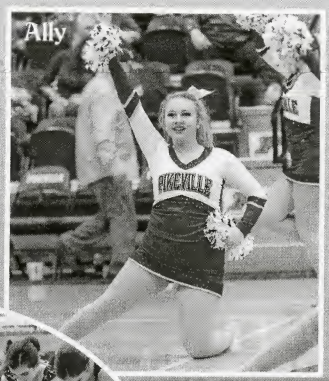
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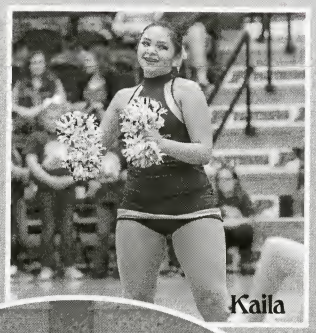
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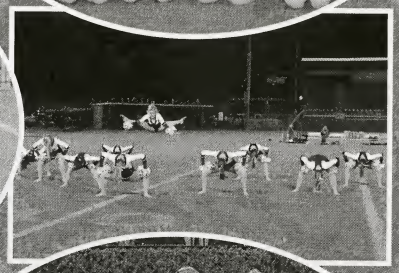

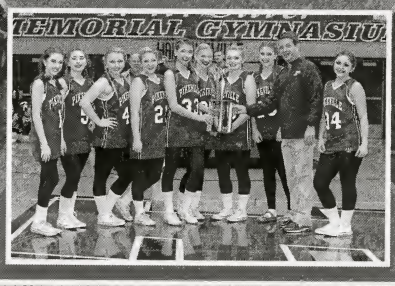

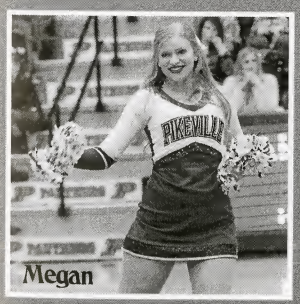
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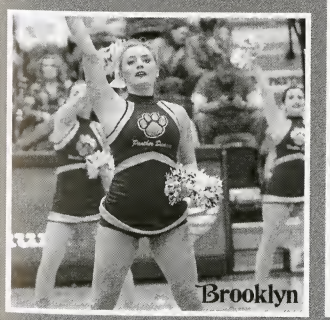
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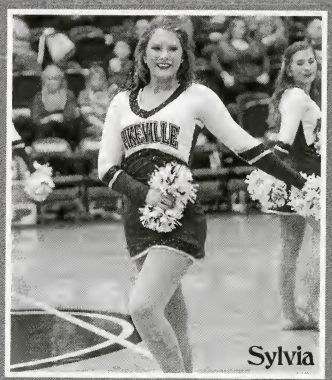
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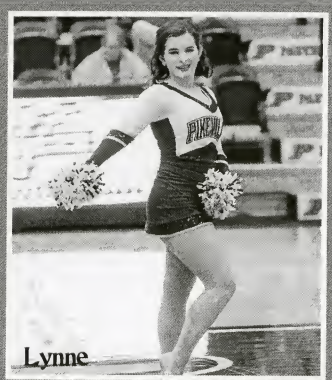
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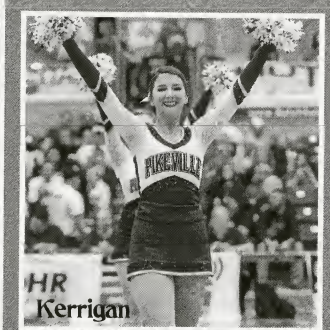
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Reaching Their Goal

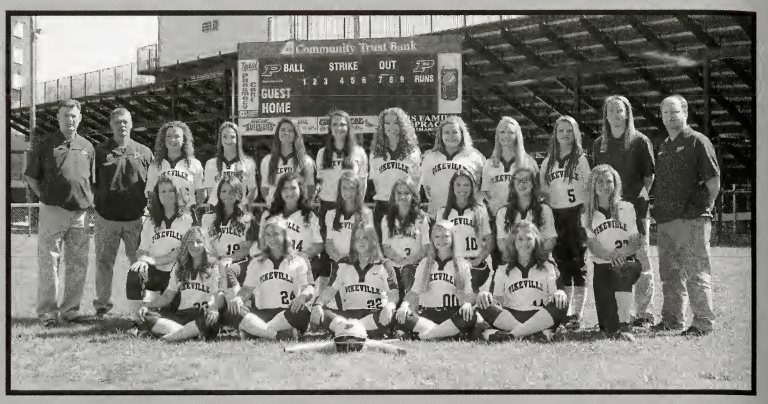
State Bound

It was a season to celebrate...59th District Champs, 15th Region Champs, All "A" Classic 15th Region Champs, Runner-up All "A" Classic State Tournament, Lyndel Potter Memorial Tournament Champs.

"Our main goal all year was making it to state. I am so proud of these girls," Coach Dave Thomas said. "We won 30 games this year and stayed in the Top 25 in the state all year. The girls played with a heart and soul. We had a great year."

Team Accomplishments

*30-8 Season Record
*19-1 Against Region Competition
*Last Appearance at State Tournament - 2002
*All District/Region Teams: Erika, Savanna, Alexis, Camryn
*MVP District/Region Tournaments: Erika
* 15th Region Player of the Year: Erika
*First Team Class I A All State Team: Erika, Alexis; Second Team: Savanna; Honorable Mention: Camryn
*KY Prep Softball Top 25 Coaches Poll
*Dave Thomas - 15th Region Coach of the Year
*Class I A Softball Coaching Staff of the Year
*Savanna - Selected to 2017 KY Senior East All Star Team
*Alexis - Selected to 2017 KY Junior East All Star Team
*Academic All State Softball Team - 9 Players
*School Records: Highest Team Batting Average - 372, Runs Scored in a Season - 342, Pitching Wins - Erika - 28, Best School Record Since 1999, Third 30-Win Season



Varsity Softball Team (row 1) Kendal Hall, Kaitlyn Damron, Thearose Jerrell, Elisabeth Staggs, Emily Ford, (row 2) Bailey Jo Stiltner, Olivia Whitfield, Raven Branham, Alexis Stanley, Cassidy Lowe, Camryn Slone, Storm Prater, Hannah Akers, (row 3) Coach Dave Thomas, asst. coach Ronald Conn, Brianna Akers, Savanna Nunemaker, Erika Conn, Lindsey Lockhart, Lindsey McNamee, Bailey Lovern, Emily Hughes, Catie Rowe, asst. coach Kayla Brown, asst. coach J.D. Hughes

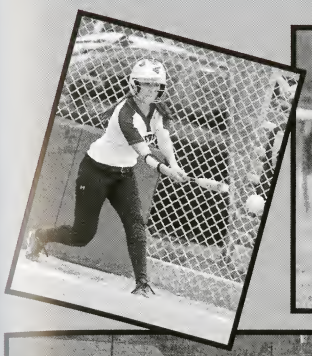
Seniors

Erika Conn

Savanna Nunemaker

Catie Rowe

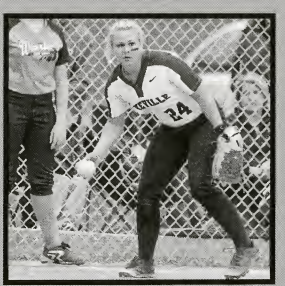
Emily Hughes

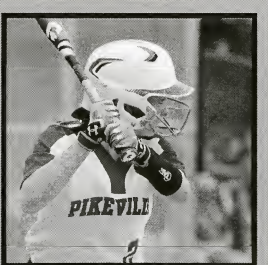


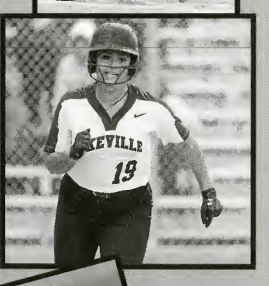
15th Region All "A" Champions

Lyndel Potter Memorial Tournament Champions

All "A" State Runner-up



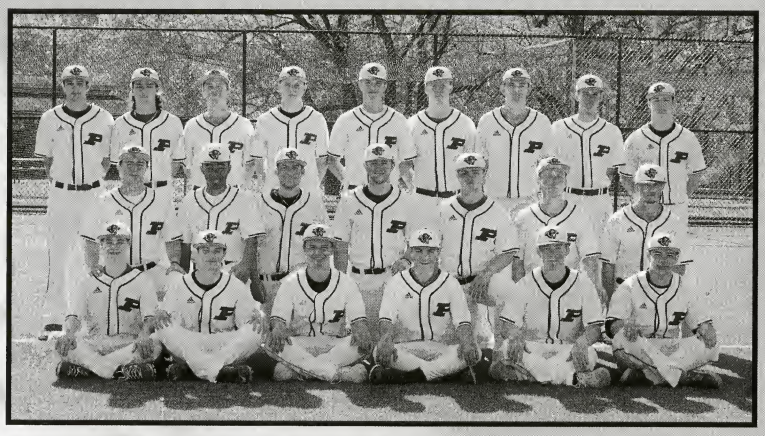




Final 8 All A State Appearance

Season Accomplishments
Season Record 24-8
*59th District Champs
*15th Region All A Champs
Final 8 All A State Appearance
*School Team Record 19-0 to Start the Season - Longest Streak in School History

Coach Steve Priode All-Time Winningest Coach with 249 Wins



Varsity Baseball (row 1) Drew Owens, Nate Brown, Brody Birchfield, Tanner Hamilton, Drake Potter, Kaden Caudill, (row 2) Clay Slone, Christian Billiter, Grayson Harris, Michael McDonald, Connor Wright, Peyton Hamilton, Tyler Elkins, (row 3) Tanner Thompson, Jackson Hensley, Evan Hamilton, Lucas Justice, Christian Tackett, Andrew McNamee, Cade Byers, Kevin Justice, McKenzie Hamilton

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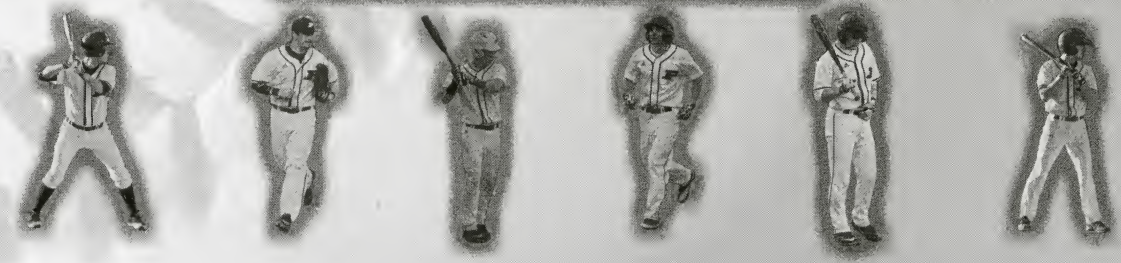
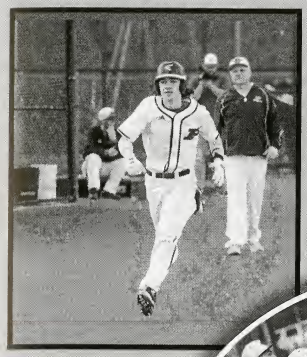
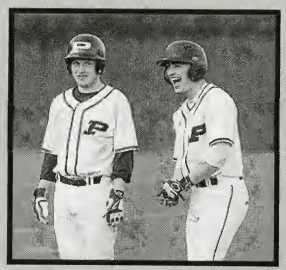
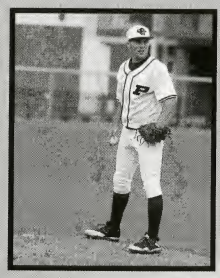
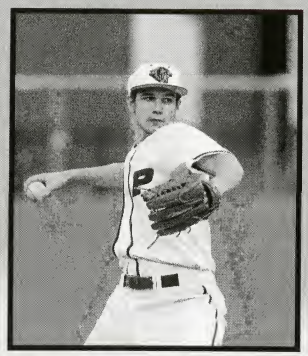
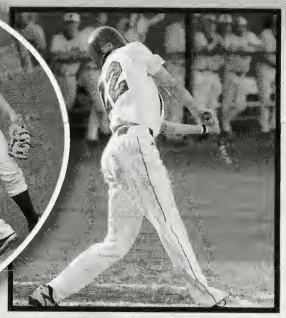
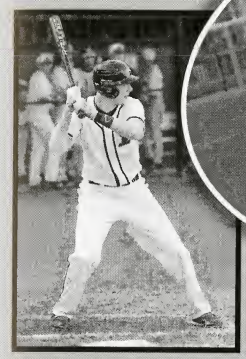
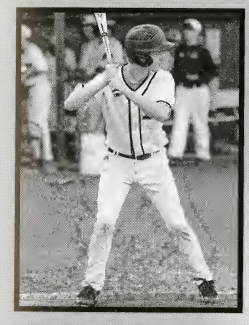


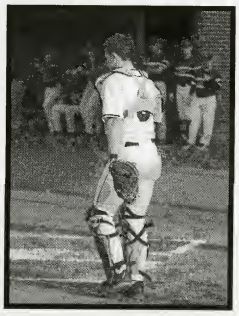


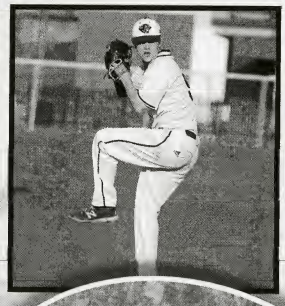




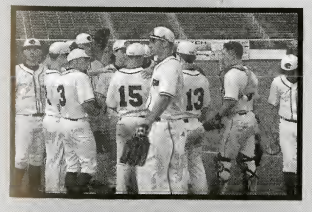
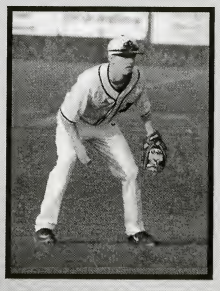
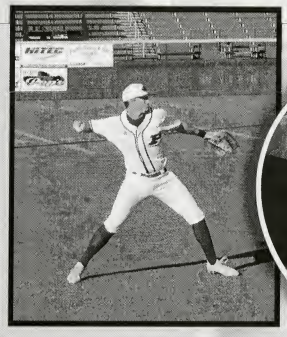


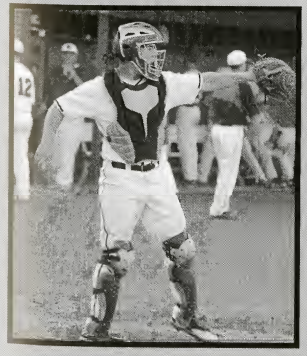
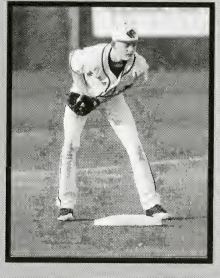


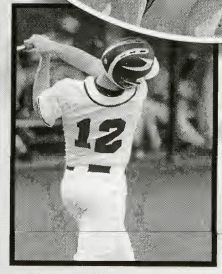
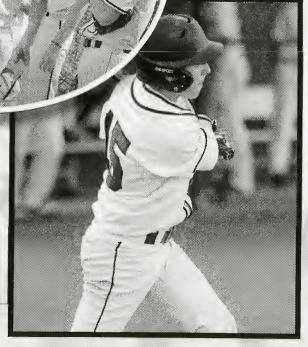






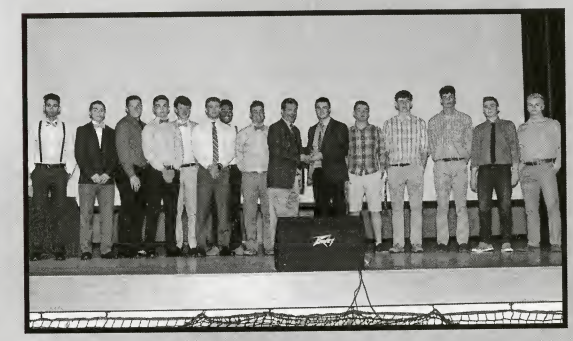



Third Annual ESPY Awards
Sunday, May 21, 2017

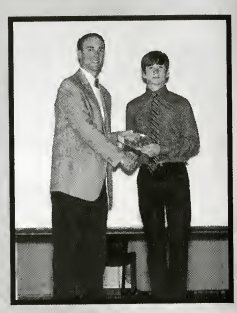
Cade Byers
Breakthrough Athlete
of the Year

Jill Dotson and Andrew Joyce
Hosts

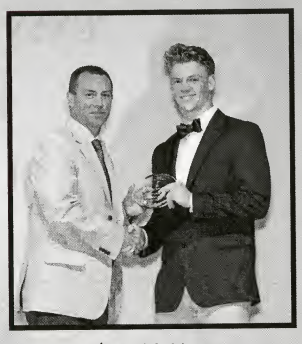


Boys Basketball Team
Comeback of the Year, Male Team of the Year

Dance Team
Best Record Breaking Performance

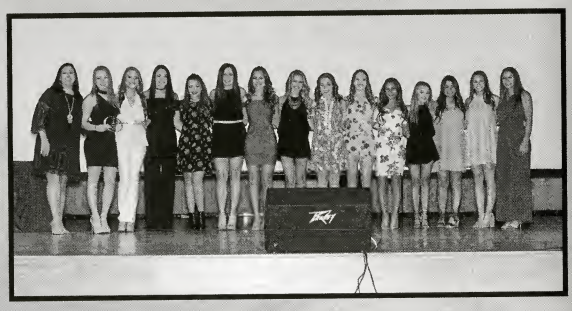


Jonathan Bryant
Best Individual Moment

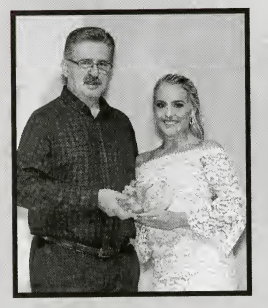


Andrew McNamee
Male Scholar Athlete

Canaan Godsey
Blake Vanhoose
Courage Award



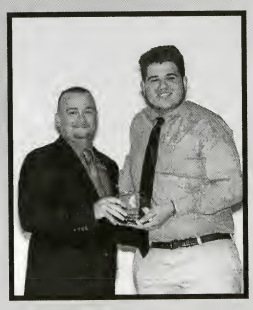
Varsity Cheerleaders
Best Team Performance, Female Team of the Year



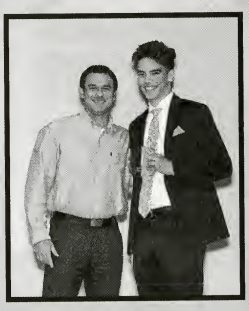
Alivia Gearheart
Freshman Female Athlete
of the Year

Blake Charles
Football Player of the Year

Lauren Blackburn
Female Golfer of the Year



McKinley Webb
Male Golfer of the Year



Harrison Booher
Male Cross Country
Runner of the Year, Male
Track and Field Athlete
of the Year

Jackson Hensley
Freshman Male Athlete
of the Year

Cassidy Lowe
Female Soccer Player of
the Year

Connor Risner
Male Soccer Player of
the Year

Grace Bartley
Sophomore Female
Athlete of the Year

Lynne Atkins
Female Scholar Athlete
Tiffany Copley
Female Cross Country Runner of
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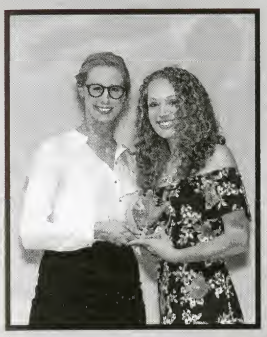
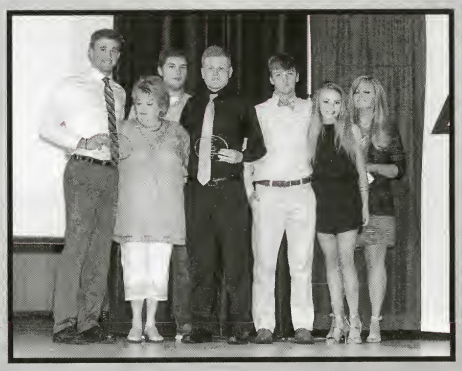
Kassidy Caudill
Female Tennis Player of the Year
Rachael Blackburn
Stephen R. Flanary Memorial
Award

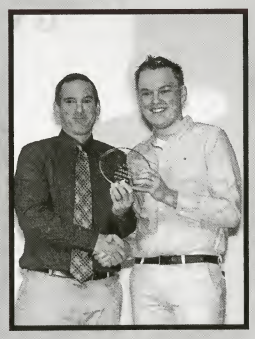


Lindsey McNamee
Volleyball Player of the Year,
Junior Athlete of the Year



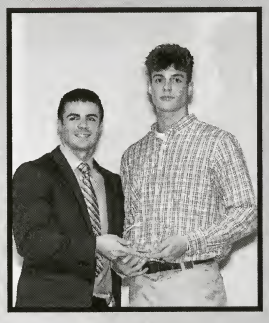
Mikey McDonald and Peyton Hamilton
Nathan Elswick Memorial Award

Britney Hopkins
Fremale Archer of the Year



Mason Hess
Male Archer of the Year

Savanna Nunemaker
Female Basketball Player of
the Year, Senior Female
Athlete of the Year



Wyatt Battaile
Male Basketball Player of
the Year, Junior Male
Athlete of the Year

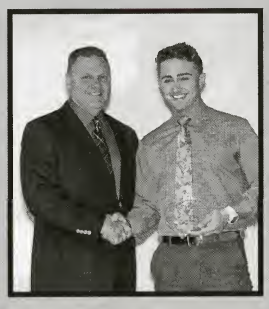
Alexis Stanley
Competitive Cheerleader
of the Year

Sydney May
Dancer of the Year

Christian Billiter
Sophomore Male Athlete
of the Year

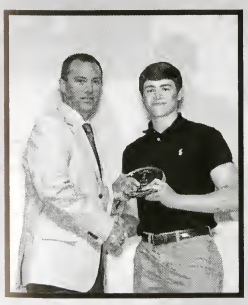
Erika Conn - Lyndel Potter Memorial
Softball Scholarship; Catie Rowe, Lyndel
Potter Memorial Cheerleading Scholarship

Eric Green
Wrestler of the Year



Clay Slone
Baseball Player of the Year

Erika Conn
Softball Player of the Year



Walker Hall
Male Tennis Player of the Year

Leslie Stewart
Female Track and Field
Athlete of the Year

Kandice Hamilton
Coach of the Year

Gary Justice
Assistant Coach of the Year

Mikey McDonald
Senior Male Athlete of
the Year, Ross MCoy
Scholarship

Ready...Set...RUN!

The Class A Region Track Championship saw Leslie Stewart take home first place in the girls' shot put event with a throw of 29-01.50. Her first place finish was the only region championship in Pike or Floyd County schools.

Emily Hager finished third in the girls' long jump. Jaden Edmonds had a pair of fourth place finishes, in the triple jump and high jump events. Grace Bartley finished third in the dicuss throw. The Lady Panthers finished fifth overall in the girls' team standings.

The boys finished sixth. Harrison Booher was runner-up in the 3200 meter relay and Christian Billiter finished fifth in the long jump event.

Christian Biliter, Jaden Edmonds, Leslie Stewart, and Harrison Booher all qualified for state.

Track and Field (row 1) Tiffany Lin, Jestina Davis, Annie Salyer, Grace Bartley, Emily Hager, Alexis Stanley, Cassidy Lowe, Camryn Slone, Coach Sullivan and Kamron, (row 2) Coach Staggs, Allie Fleniken, Gabriella Hunter, Jaden Edmonds, Alexia Wilkerson, Alivia Gearheart, Michaela Hunter, (row 3) Josh Williams, Tyler McKinney, Wade Copley, Edwardo Childers, Jason Lin, Jesse Sparks, (row 4) Justin Barker, Alex Chang, Owen Sizemore, Daniel McCoy, Aaron Smart, J.T. Orem, Colin Street, (row 5) Cannan Godsey, Harrison Booher, Seth Pugh, Connor Wright, Peyton Blair, Noah Little, Evan Rhodes, (row 6) Evan Swofford, Jackson Mullins, Devin Bartley, Eric Green, Campbell Dawahare, Antonio Bartley, Connor Byers

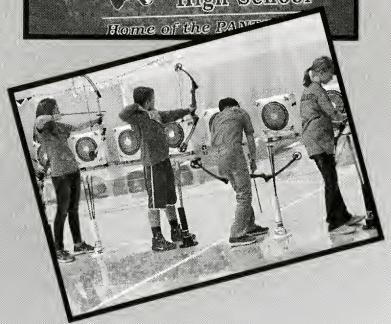
Aiming High

For the first time in PHS history, the archery team advanced to the State Tournament in Louisville on March 30 - April 1.

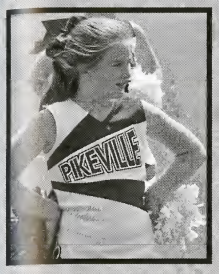
Britney Hopkins qualified as an individual for State, the first female in school history. Mason Hess also qualified as an individual for State, the second male in school history. Four elementary boys, all fifth graders, qualified for State.

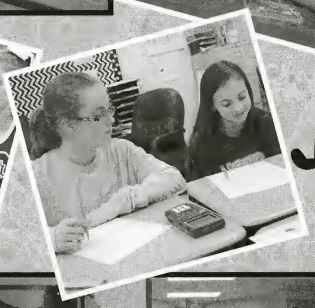
Seniors Ethan Francis, Devin Gayheart, and Cody Ratliff signed with UPike to continue their archery career. They were the first three to sign for the first team at the university.

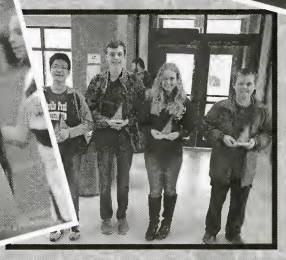
"This was the most successful season for archery at PHS. Along with a trip to State and having archers compete during regular season, we also had an increase in numbers. I look forward to next season and continued success," said Coach Shane Hurt.

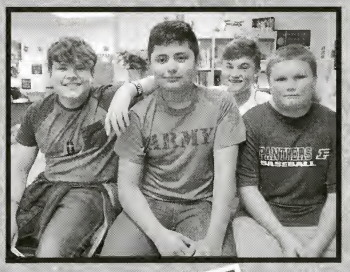


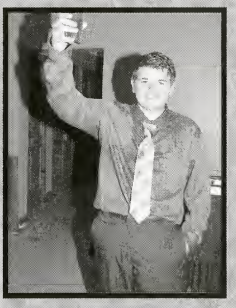
Archery (row 1) Madison Williams, Owen Sizemore, Gage Ritchie, Caleb Hall, Britney Hopkins, Ben Williams, Carmen Hall, Gracie Thompson, John Hamp, (row 2) Ethan Hall, Caleb Cole, Ariana Jarrell, Chase Bowman, Cody Ratliff, Amy Adkins, Sylvia Justice, Christy Hunter, Hannah Hopkins, Sonny Wooten, (row 3) Teddy Sizemore, Mason Hess, Makenzie Maynard, Thearose Jarrell, William Wheeler, Baby Layne, Jayden Leitch, Sydney Sampson, Brianna Little, Larissa Francis, Thomas Blackburn, (row 4) Collin Noud, Noah Honaker, Kyle Martin, Ethan Francis, Josh Williams, Quinn Helfen, Devin Gayheart, Logan Elswick

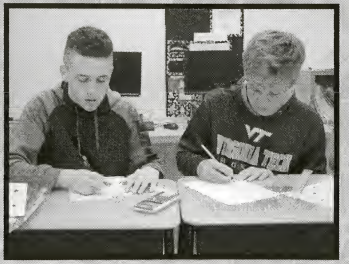











Jr. High

Eighth Grade

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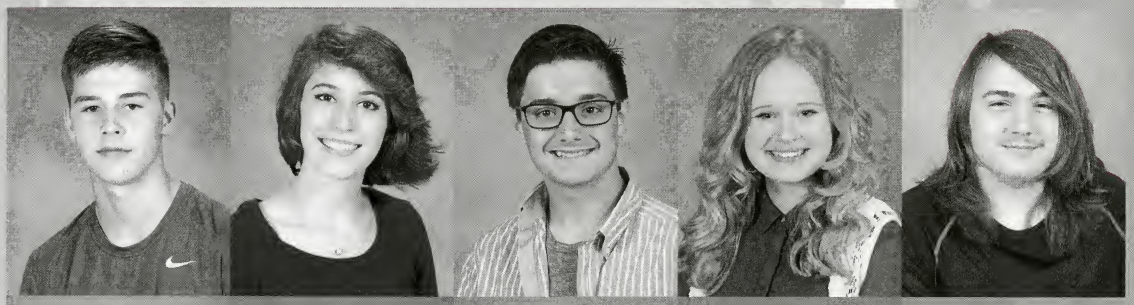
Devin Bartley
Sarah Belcher
Hunter Blackburn



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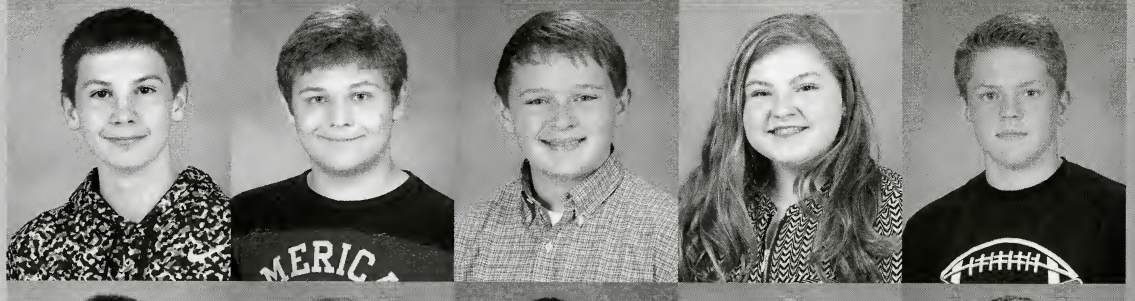
Adam Blankenship
Jewel Booher
Tyler Bowling
Rachel Bowman

Elizabeth Brown
Jonathon Bryant
Xavier Cantrell
Morgan Carroll
Clay Cartmell

Graham Cartmell
Kamren Casebolt
Seth Clark
Caylin Coleman
Nate Collins



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Lynnsey Compton
Joshua Conley
Harley Crider
Izabella Damron

Jestina Davidson
Sydney Deboard
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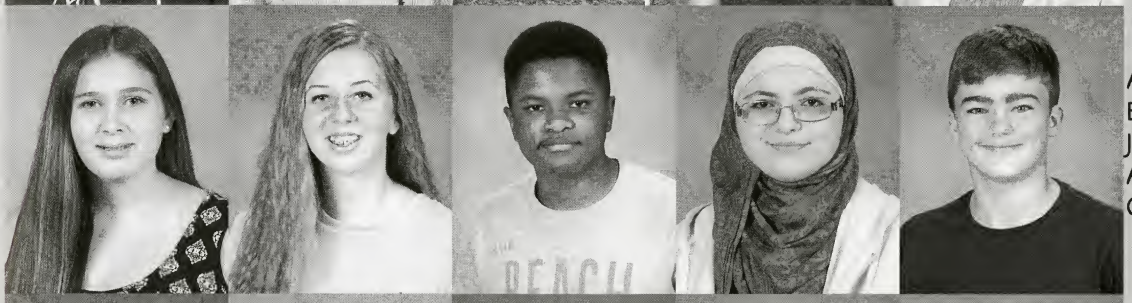

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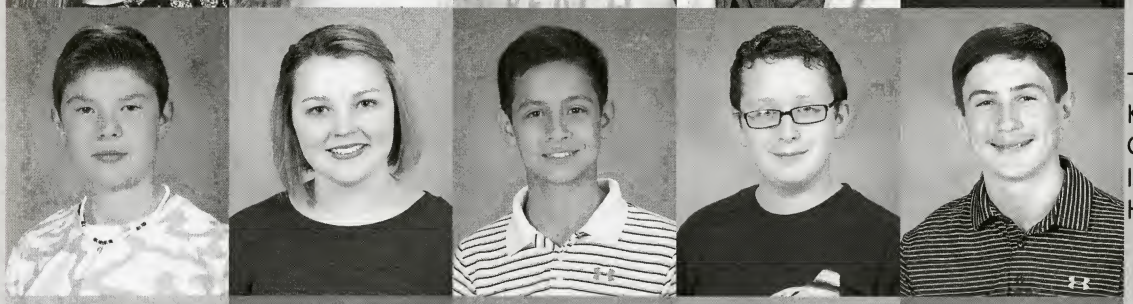

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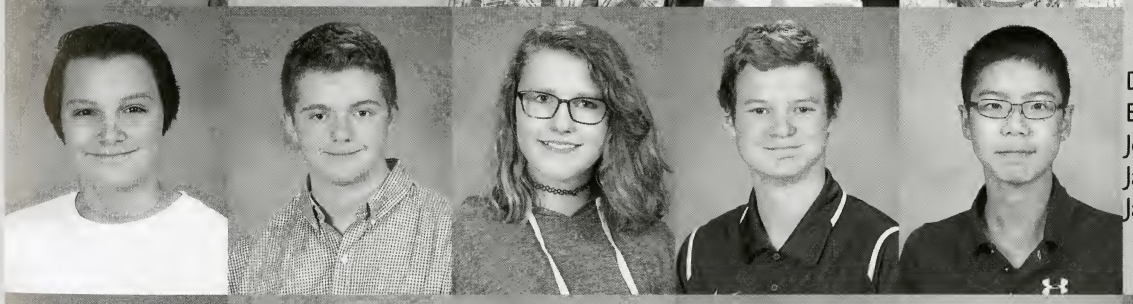

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Evan Kelley
Jenna Leisure
Jayden Leitch
Jason Lin

Zac Lockhart
Weston Lucas
David Macier
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Ajaree Massaquoi
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Katelyn McCoy
Izaiah McGuire
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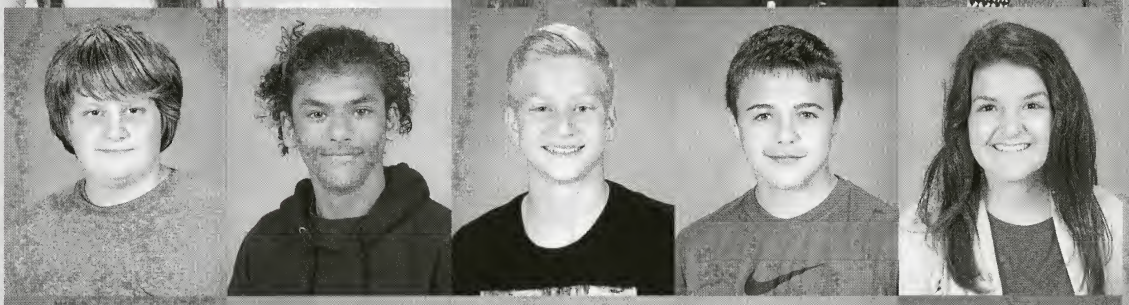

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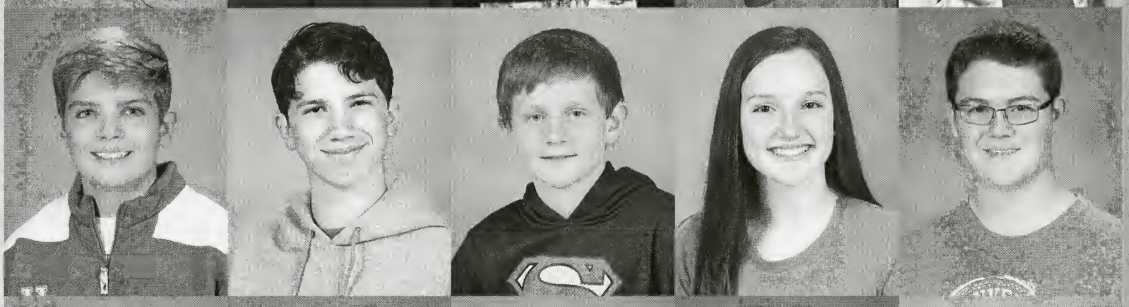
Gage Ritchie
Courtney Roberts



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Zachary Rowe
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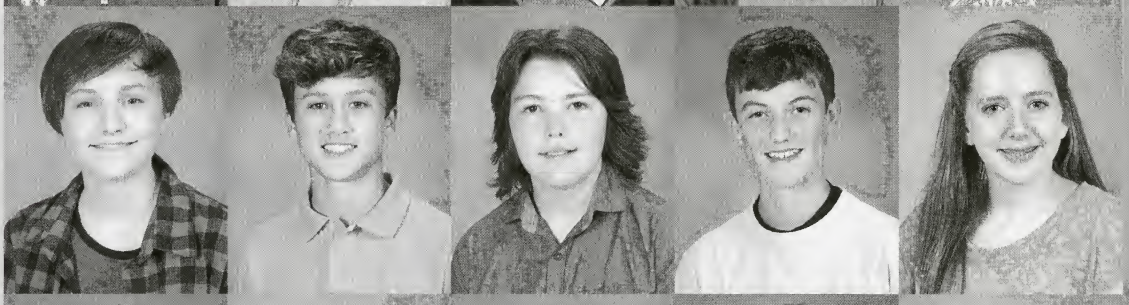
Tanner Sampson



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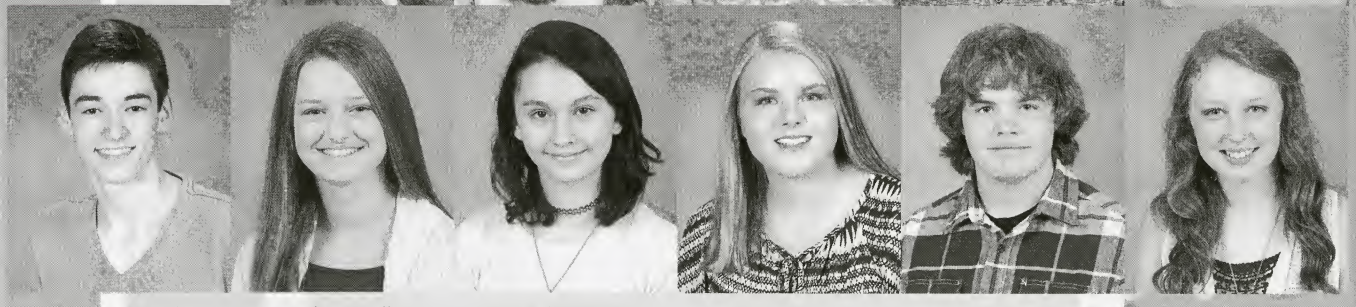


Mason Ward
Kaylee Wells
Raquel Williams
Hailey Wise
John Workman
Rachel Wright

A Reason to Celebrate

It was an event to celebrate - 8th grade graduation.

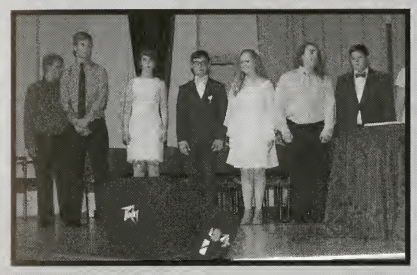
On Tuesday, May 23, eighty-four students were officially beginning an important milestone in their lives, entrace into high school.

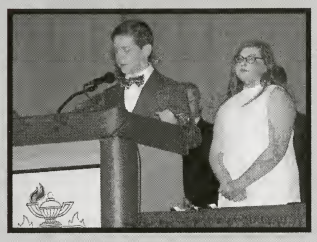
As they were recognized for their academic achievements, many realized that the next chapter in their lives would begin in just a few months.

Valedictorian
Sarah Belcher

Co-Salutatorian
Hunter Jones

Co-Salutatorian
Madison Stewart



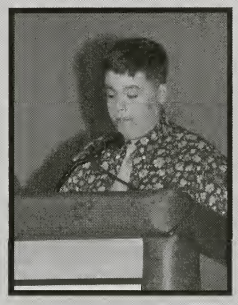


Pledge to the Flag
Caylin Coleman and Zach Rowe

Pluma Damron English Award
Sarah Belcher
Ruth Queen Math Award
Jason Lin
Jane Wells Amos Science Award
Sarah Belcher
David Thomas Social Studies Award
Jason Lin
Rogers Explorers Program
Madison Stewart

National Anthem
8th Grade Chorus

"You're off to great places! Today is your day! Your mountain is waiting, so...Get on your way!" - Dr. Seuss



Invocation
Jacob Justice

Benediction
Rachel Wright

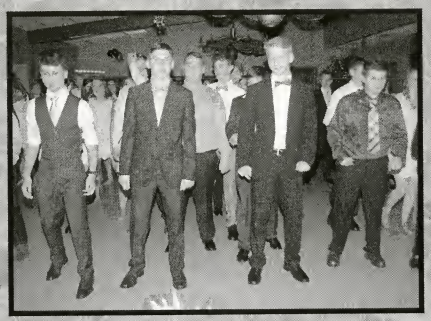
Charge to the Class
Isaiah Huffman

Class Poem
Sarah Belcher

Welcome
Emily Gearheart

Making Memories...Graduation Dance

The celebration continued with the graduation dance at Green Meadows Country Club. Special memories were made with classmates, whether they were dancing, eating, or taking pictures.



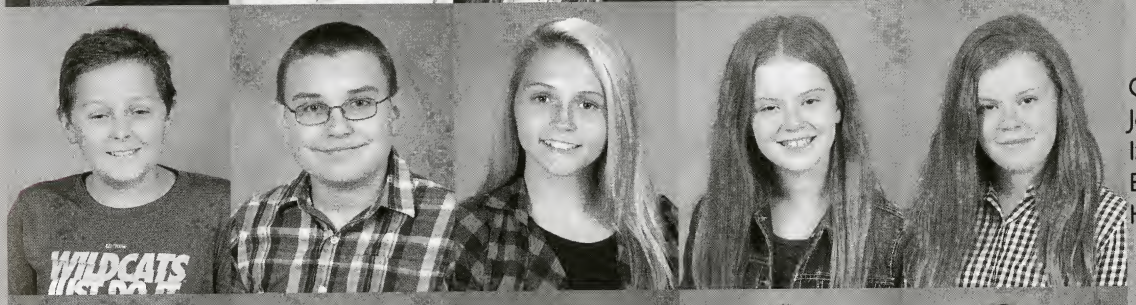
Prince and Princess Coleton Tackett and Emily Gearheart

Court (from left) Colin Street, Kate Justice, Brayden Adkins, Allison Atkins, Prince Colton Tackett, Princess Emily Gearheart, Kyle Rhodes, Morgan Carroll, Hunter Jones, Elizabeth Brown, Zach Rowe, Allie Samples

Seventh Grade

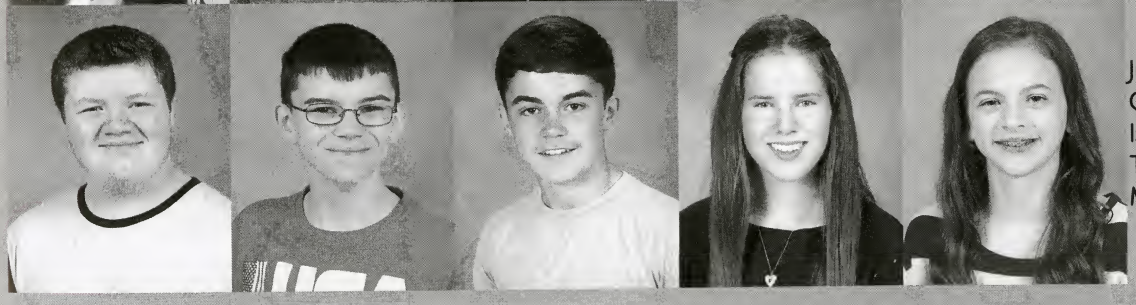
Kelcie Adams
Fatima Ahmad
Hannah Akers
Anaya Ali
Caeden Bartley

Treyshaun Bartley
Sam Belcher
Brianna Bentley
Lexie Blackburn
Jasmine Bowling

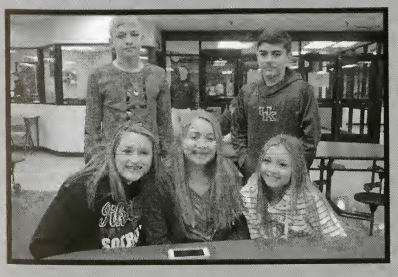


Chayse Bowman
Jordan Boyd
Izzabella Bruner
Emma Callis
Hannah Callis

Hope Carroll
Barrett Caudill
Mason Clevinger
Brianna Clontz
Caleb Cole

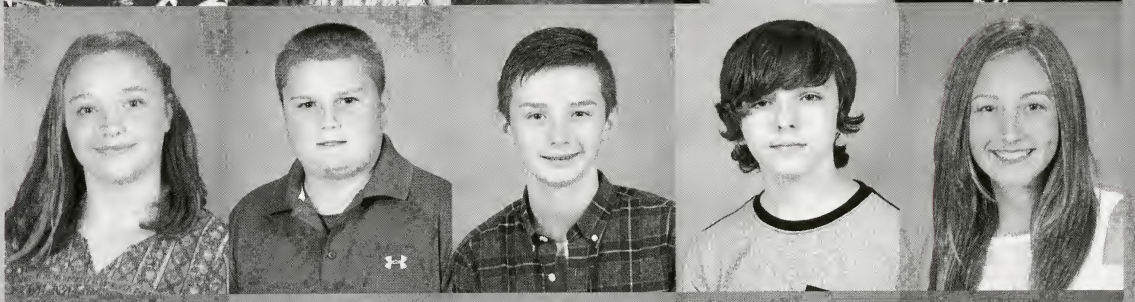


Justice Cole
Cameron Coleman
Isaac Coleman
Tiffany Copley
Mattie Crum



Aliyah Dotson
Imani Douglas
Sophie Elswick
Emily Ford
Cameron Gibson

Sofia Hackney
Conner Hall
Ethan Hall
Keaton Hall
Kendal Hall



Laithan Hall
Olivia Hall
Bryce Hamilton
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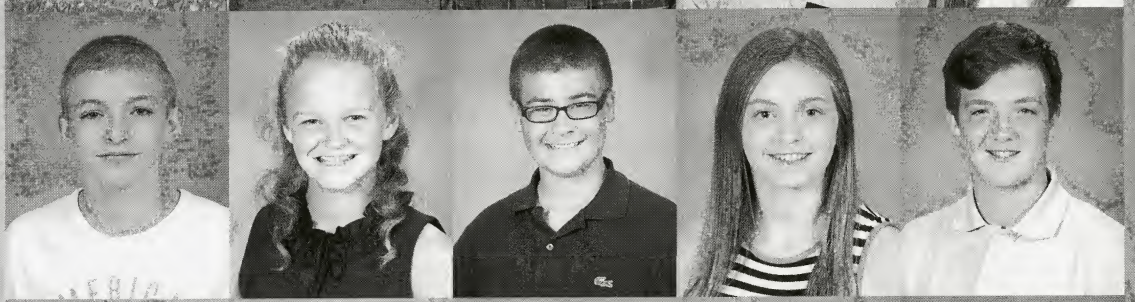

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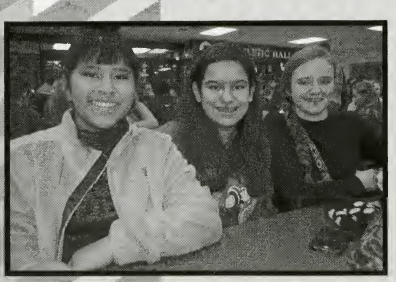
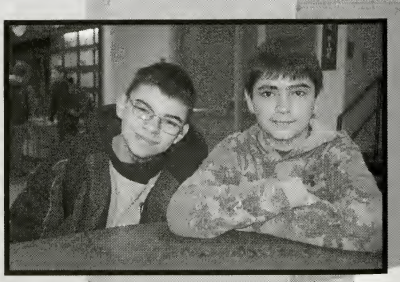
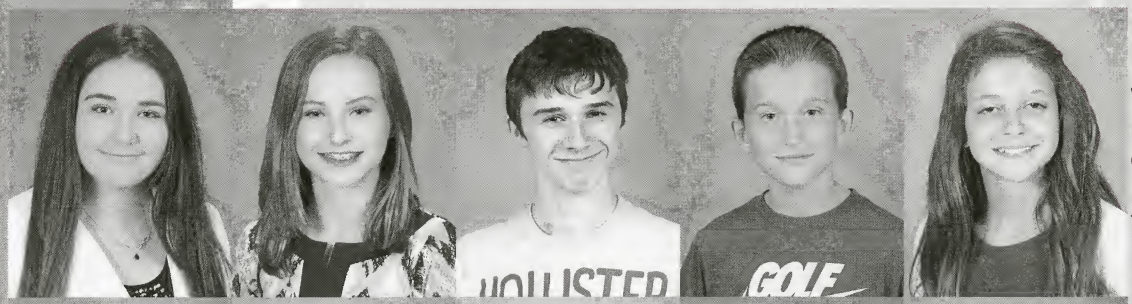
Ariana Jerrell







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Chase Justice
Keegan Justice
Tausha Justice

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Tait Lakin
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Samuel McCoy

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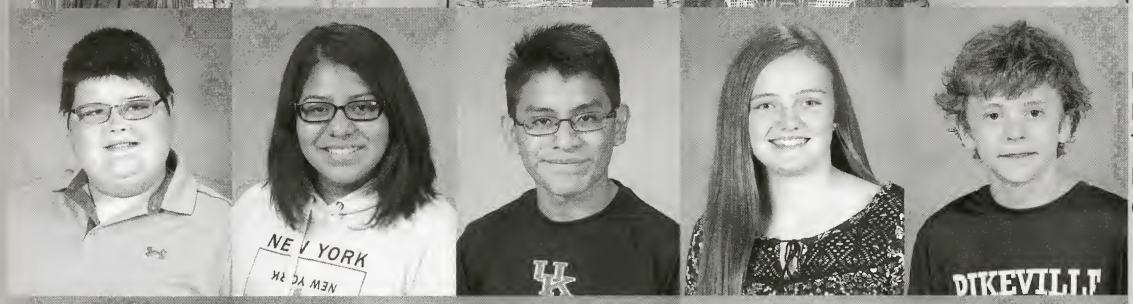
Isaac McNamee
Corey Meza
Daniel Moore
Isaiah Morton



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Kate Musgrave
Thomas Musgrave
Rebekah Newsome
Campbell Noud

Conner Owens
McKinlee Potter
Dylan Raleigh
Emma Ratliff
Evan Ratliff

Sidney Ratliff
Corbin Robinson
Brianna Santiago-Kane
Logan Scott
Caleb Sizemore

Teddy Sizemore
Hayden Smallwood
Aaron Smart
Jared Stanley
Dylan Street

Grace Tackett
Landon Tackett
Felicity Tan
Noah Thacker
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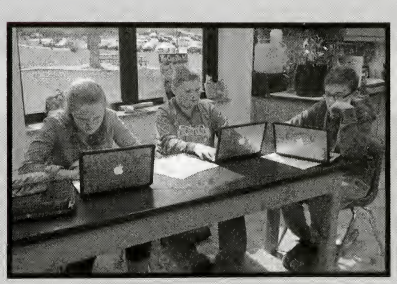
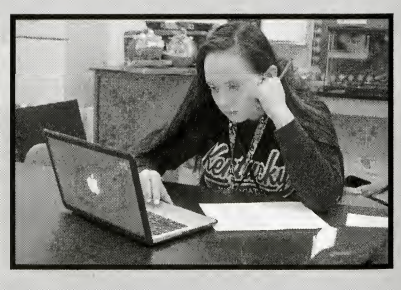
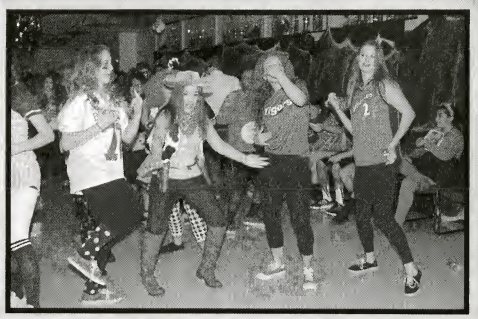




A Spellbinding Party

Evan Kelly

Tausha Justice, Sidney Ratliff

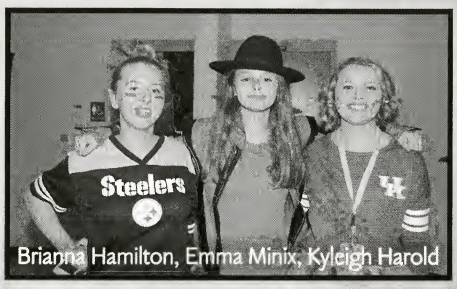


With frightening flourishes, devilishly delicious goodies, and flickering lanterns, the mood was set for an eerie evening for the junior high Halloween Dance.

On Saturday, October 29, students came in costume to have fun with friends and dance to their favorite songs.

Isabella Huffman, Grace Tackett, Tiffany Copley

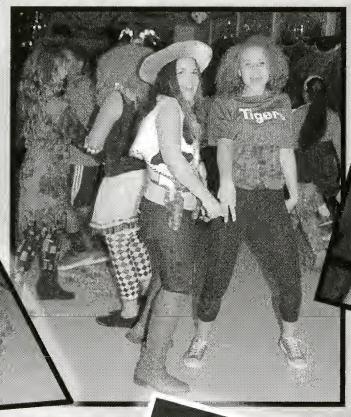
Nate Collins



Brianna Hamilton, Emma Minix, Kyleigh Harold

Mattie Crum & Kelcie Adams

Isabella Damron, Rachel Wright, Katelyn McCoy, Rachel Bowman



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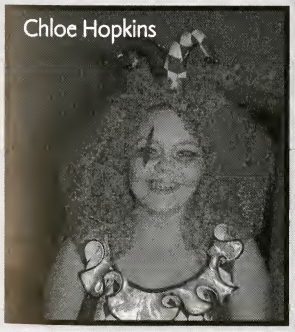
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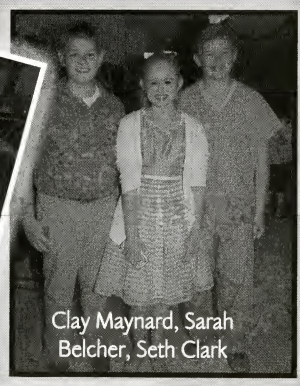
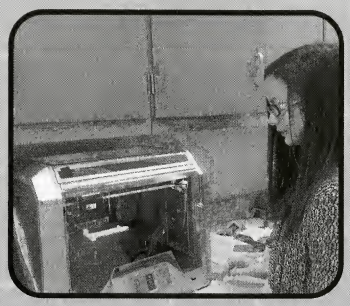

Clay Maynard, Sarah Belcher, Seth Clark

Savannah Peterson

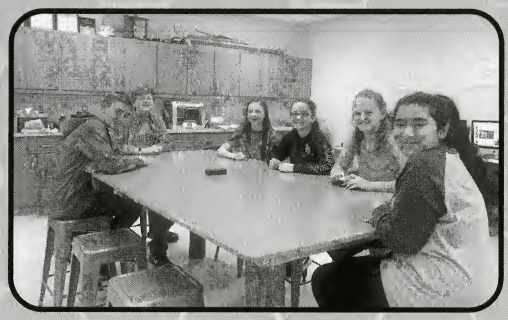
A Look Into the Future

The ACES class, under the guidance of Traci Tackett, was excited about their new dry erase table top to work on projects, the main one being the Future City Competition.

The students designed a futuristic Power of Public Space, including what a city would look like in 150 years.



Jr. High Aces Kelcie Adams, Mattie Crum, Anaya Ali, Olivia Hall, Drew Hurley, Noah Thacker

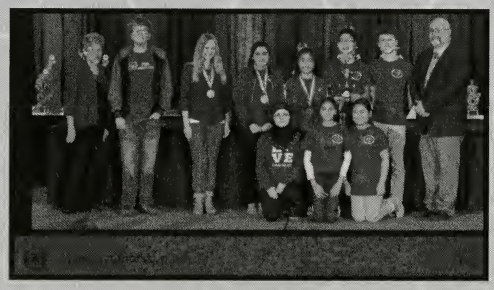


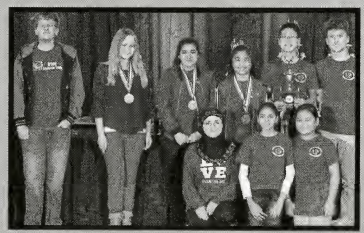
Team Wins Big at Governor's Cup Competition

The jr. high academic team dominated the Governor's Cup District Competition. They won overall, took top positions in subject areas and first in quick recall. The quick recall team was undefeated.

In Region competition, the team took first place with a total score of 54.5, beating out their closest rival by 31 points.

Jr. High Academic Team (in no particular order) Christina Al-Akhrass, Anaya Ali, Sarah Belcher, Emily Gearheart, Riley Gilliam, Asmaa Harfoush, Jason Lin, Chloe Olegario, Colin Street, Felicity Tan, Noah Thacker, Coach Ashley Estep, Coach Bennett Stewart





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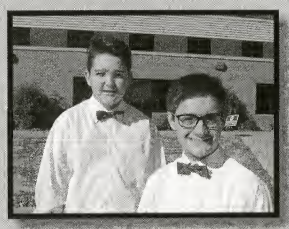
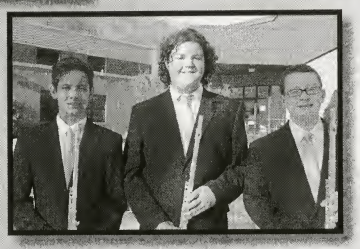
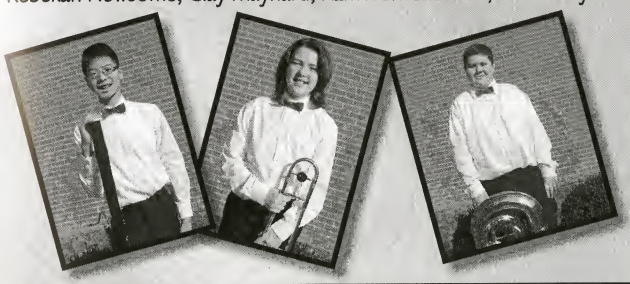
Distinguished at District Competition

Jr. High Band (row 1) Isabella Huffman, Savannah Petterson, Aliyah Dotson, Jenna Leisure, Daegan Sword, Jason Lin, (row 2) Clark Frazier, Isaiah McGuire, Aaron Smart, Hayden Smallwood, Jared Stanley, Rebekah Newsome, Clay Maynard, Kameron Casebolt, Evan Kelly







Jr. High Chorus (row 1) Emma Callis, Sidney Ratliff, Kylie Jones, Brianna Santiago-Kane, Alex Vanhoose, Sofia Hackney, Hannah Callis, (row 2) Kylee Hamilton, Izabella Damron, Sarah Belcher, Madison Stewart, Sophie Elswick, Fatima Ahmad, Kylee Hunt, (row 3) Arianna Jerrel, Lynnsey Compton, Morgan Carroll, Allison Atkins, Rachel Wright, Kara Lee, Hannah Akers

Five Make KMEA All State Choir

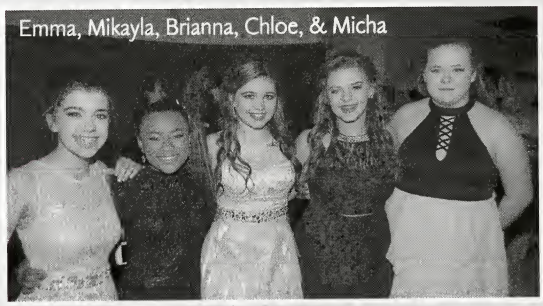
Junior High KMEA All State Choir (from left) Sarah Belcher, Brianna Santiago-Kane, Kylie Jones, Sofia Hackney, Rachel Wright (not pictured: Sarah Givens)

"Music is a piece of art that goes in the ears straight to the heart."

Winter Wonderland

Dressed in semi-formal attire, jr. high students filled the eighth grade wing on Saturday, Feb. 4 for a night of dancing that also included great food and a photo booth area.

Dancing the night away, they all had lots of fun!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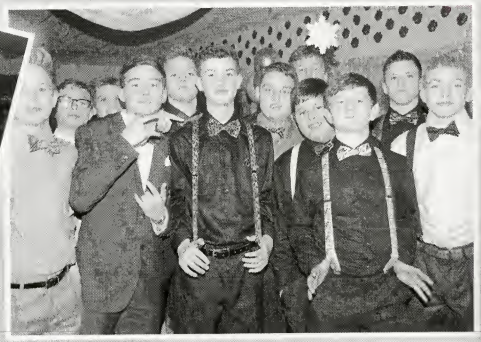
Olivia, Brianna, Sofia, & Alexis

John

Chloe & Emma



Rebekah & Izaiah

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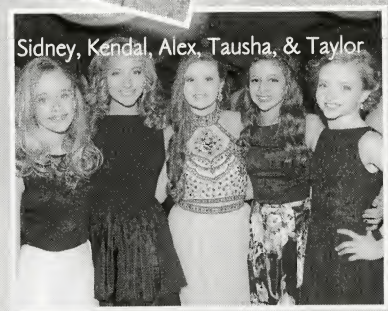
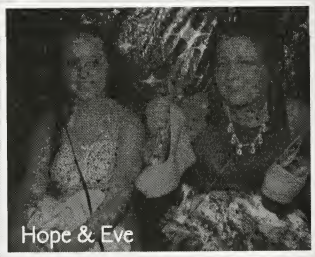

Sidney, Kendal, Alex, Tausha, & Taylor


Hope & Eve

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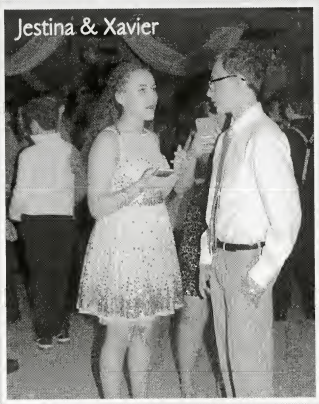
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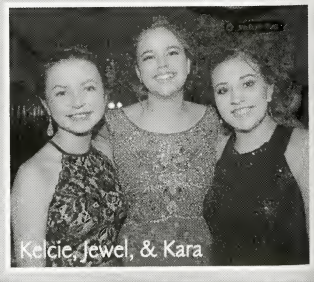
Devin & Tyler

Brianna & Anaya

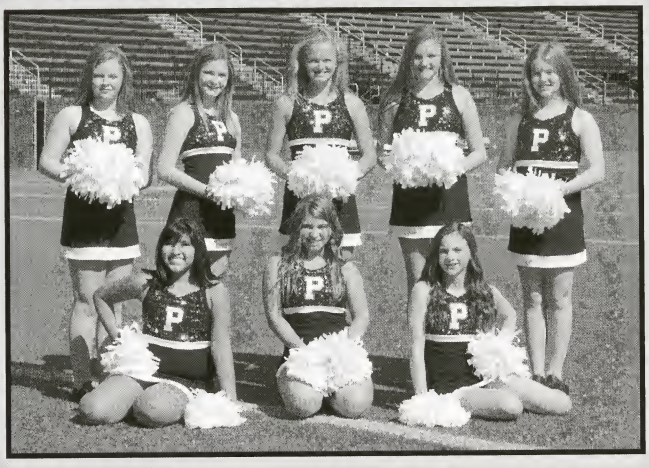
Mattie & Kylee

Sarah, Seth, Asmaa, Morgan, Lynnsey, & Clay

Alexis, Brianna, Hannah, & Sofie


Kelcie, Jewel, & Kara

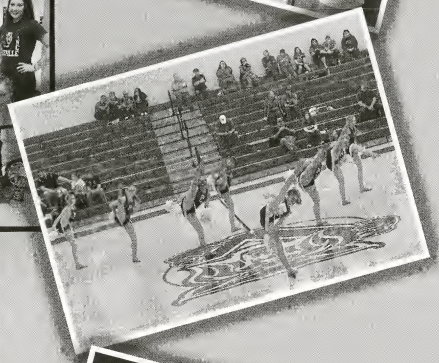
Dance Team Advances to State

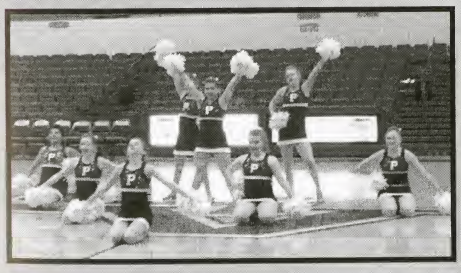


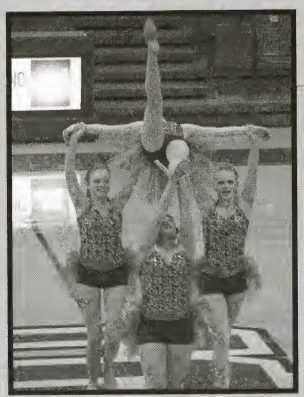
Jr. High Dance Team (row 1) Aliyah Dotson, Brianna Bentley, Mattie Crum, (row 2) Hannah Callis, Kylee Hamilton, Olivia Hall, Rebekah Newsome, Emma Callis

Region Competition: first place - Hip Hop, second place - Pom, third place - Jazz

State Competition: fifth place - Jazz, tenth place - Pom, sixteenth place - Hip Hop







Impressive Showing in Tournament Play

With a new coach, David Scott, the junior high golf team was ready for a year full of tournaments.

Playing in five competitions, Jonathan Bryant placed third individually at the Lafayette Invitational at the Picadome Golf Course. He also led the team in scoring average.

Colin Street was the lowest individual on the team at the Estill County Invitational at the Madison County Country Club. He also qualified for the Middle School State Golf Tournament in Louisville, Kentucky.

Jr. High Golf Team (row 1) Keegan Justice, Josh Varney, Jason Lin, Jonathan Bryant, Colin Street, Luke Onkst, Blake Justice, Dylan Street.

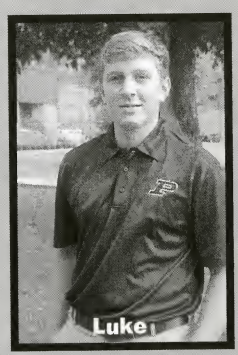
Luke

Jonathan

Jason

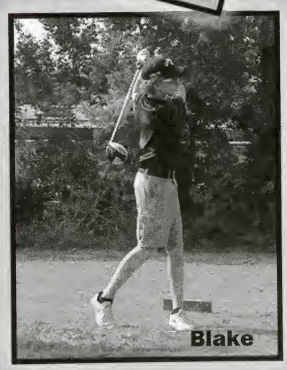
Blake

Keegan

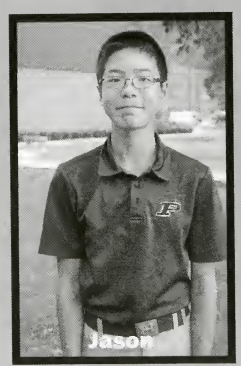


Luke

Colin



Blake



Jason

Josh

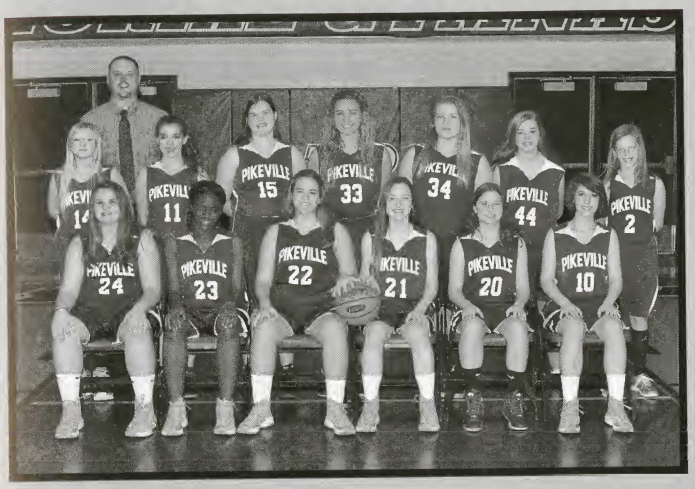
Jonathan

Dylan

Competing With Confidence

"I was really proud of the girls, coming into a new system," first-year coach Robert Orem said. "They came to practice ready to work and gave it their all every day.

"This was a young team; most of the girls were fifth and sixth graders. The older girls really stepped up and were great leaders."



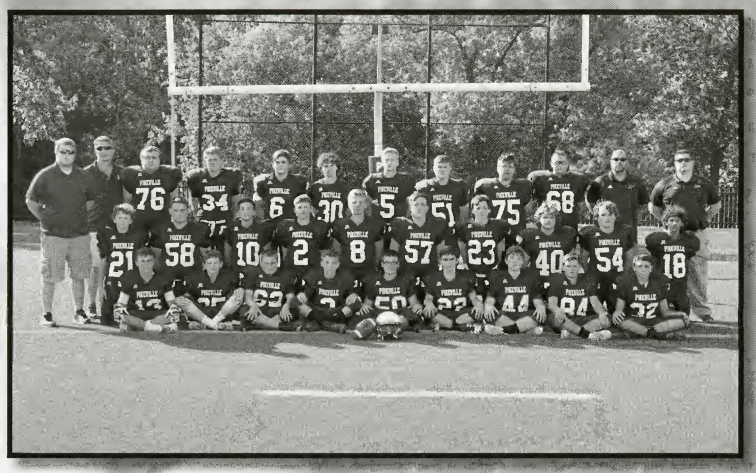
Jr. High Girls Basketball (row 1) Madison Thacker, Ajaree Massaquoi, Jewel Booher, Allie Samples, Allie Fleniken, Allison Atkins, (row 2) Kylie Hall, Emma Ratliff, Ariana Jerrell, Hannah Akers, Chloe Wright, Trinity Rowe

Behind all the hours of practice, and all the coaches who pushed you, there's a little girl...who shot the ball, fell in love with the game and never looked back...

Creating a Competitive Atmosphere

Undefeated against teams in their class, the junior high football team closed out the season with a 7-5 record.

"I was pleased with the way the boys pulled together and worked hard throughout the season," second-year head coach Jonah Justice said. "We lost several from last year's eighth grade class, so I was really proud of the boys. I see a bright future ahead for the Panther football program."



Jr. Football Team (row 1) Blake Birchfield, Zach Rowe, Connor Hall, Kendal Wright, Bryce Hamilton, Isaac Coleman, Ty Helfen, Riley Thompson, Carson Wright, (row 2) Campbell Noud, Weston Lucas, Adam Blankenship, Zac Lockhart, Isaac McNamee, Landon Hammock, Caden Bartley, John Workman, Bryce Dempsey, Skylar Ramey, (row 3) Coach Ben Staggs, Joey Justice, Mason Clevinger, Nate Collins, Griffen Harris, Dylan Justice, Kyle Rhodes, Tyler Varney, Jacob Justice, Corbin Robinson, Coach Shane Hensley, Coach Jonah Justice

Zac Lockhart

Zach Rowe

Weston

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Isaac McNamee

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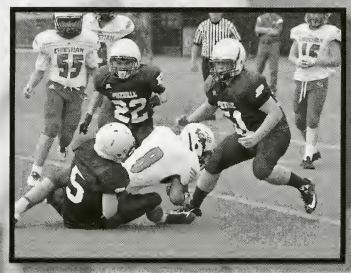
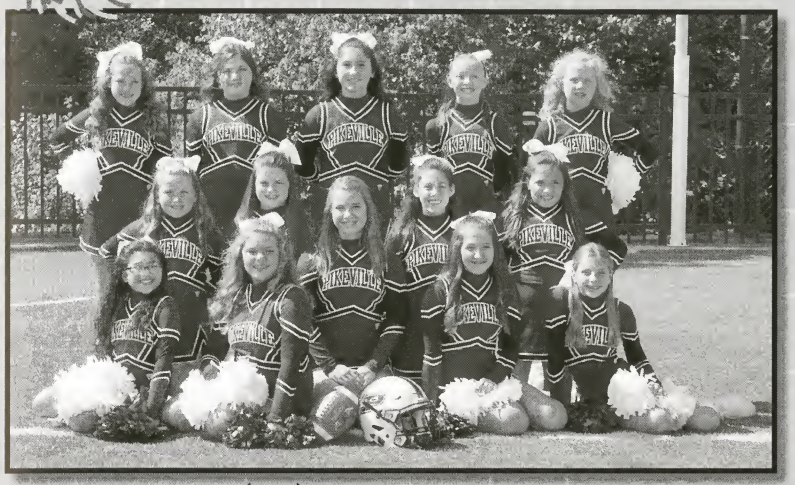
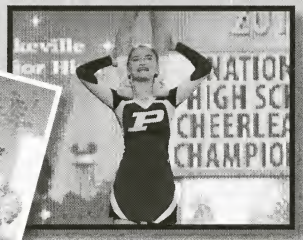


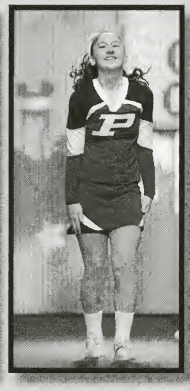
Ty Helfin

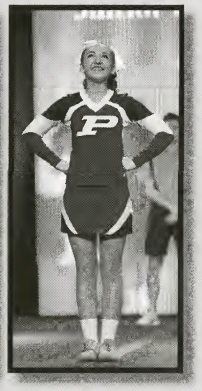
Runner-up at Bluegrass Region

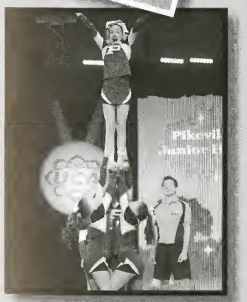


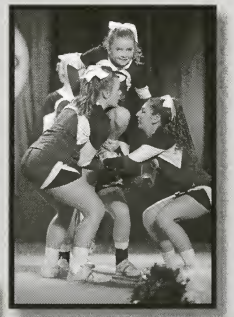
Junior High Cheerleaders (row 1) Imani Douglas, Chloe Hopkins, Kate Justice, Kylee Hunt, Kennedy Thomas, (row 2) Allie Stapleton, Molly Coleman, Olivia Hamilton, (row 3) Hadley Gayheart, Madison Slone, Ginna Jones, Natashia Webb, Mahalie Hamilton (not pictured: Emma Perry, Hallie Hamilton, Rachel Bowman)

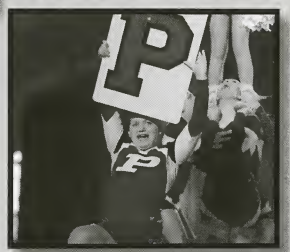


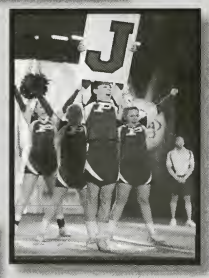


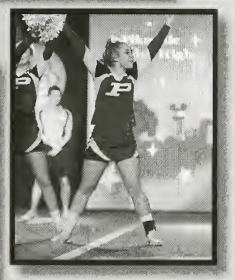


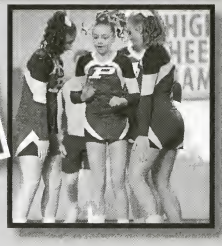










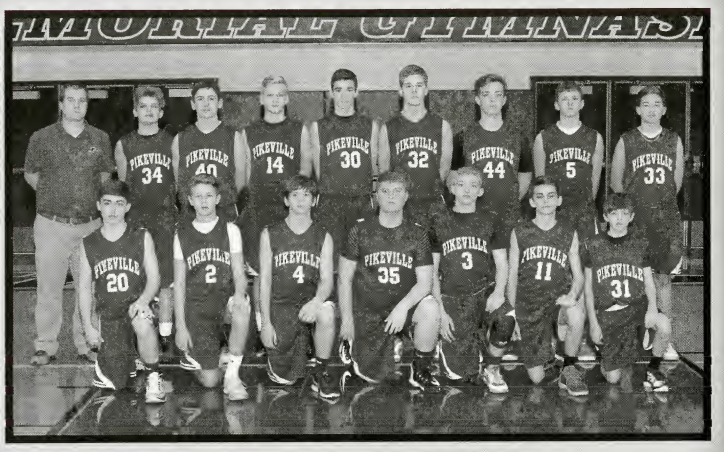


Jr. High Teams Advance to County Tournaments

During the regular season, the A Team finished with a record of 15 - 6. They took the number one seed going into the county tournament and advanced to the final four of the tournament. The boys ended up finishing in third place.

The B Team fought their way to the championship game of their tournament and finished in second place.

Both the C Team and D Team won their respective county tournaments. Nathan Mullins coached the A and B teams and Bruce Walters coached the C and D teams.



A Team (row 1) Isaac Coleman, Tate Walters, Jonathan Bryant, Tyler Varney, Laithan Hall, Brandon Lowe, Aaron Justice, (row 2) Coach Nathan Mullins, Nick Robinson, Hunter Jones, Kyle Rhodes, Mason Ward, Brandon Adkins, Landon Hammock, Zac Lockhart, Adam Blankenship

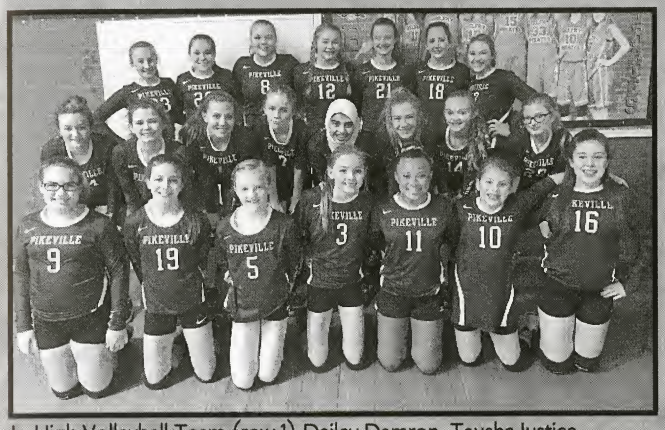
B Team (row 1) Isaac Coleman, Josh Hughes, Keegan Justice, Jake Lowe, Samuel McCoy, Tom Musgrave, (row 2) Coach Nathan Mullins, Blake Birchfield, Landon Hammock, Caeden Bartley, Carson Wright, Brandon Lowe

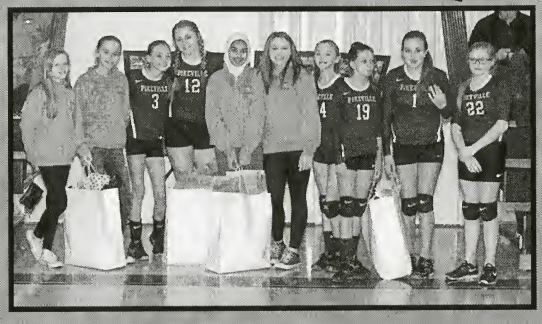
C Team (row 1) Jake Lowe, Heath Jerrell, Josh Varney, Trey Hancock, (row 2) Coach Bruce Walters, Devin Derossett, Blake Birchfield, Carson Wright, Isaiah Coleman, Riley Thompson

"Everything you practice, whether it be on the court or in the gym, it's all helping you take the next step to success."

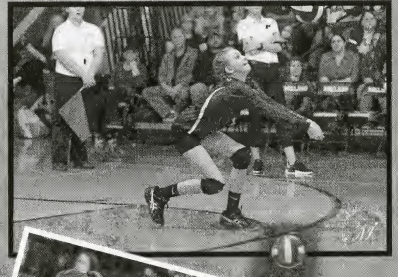
D Team (row 1) Zachary Edmonds, Carson Salyers, Blake Caudill, Cameron Roberts, Noah Jarrell, Westin Bevins, (row 2) Coach Bruce Walters, Sam Wright, EB Walters, Jay McNamee, Dylan Thompson, Jackson Hall

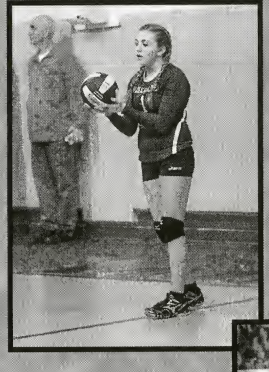
Pre-Season Tournament Champs, Second Place County Tournament

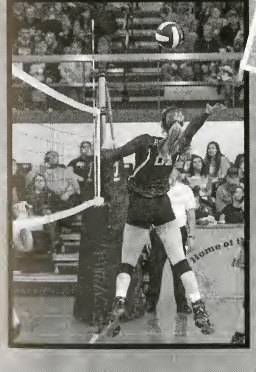


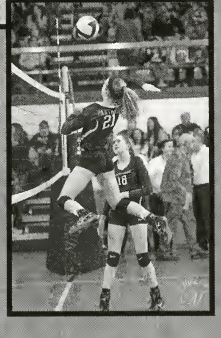


Jr. High Volleyball Team (row 1) Dailey Damron, Tausha Justice. Taylor McKinney, Mckinlee Potter, Makayla Hamp, Kyla Lee, Mikayla Carr, (row 2) Bailey Smith, Maddie Ratliff, Kara Lee, Sidney Ratliff, Fatima Ahmed, Erica Werth, Caroline Wright, Kylie Hall, (row 3) Kendal Hall, Emily Gearheart, Haley Wise, Chloe Wright, Kaylee Wells, Riley Tavis, Emily Ford

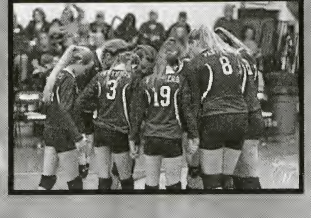


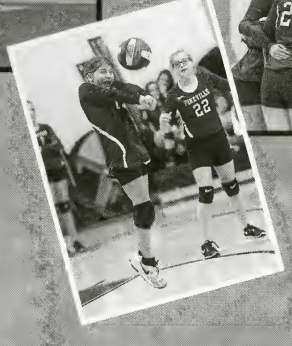




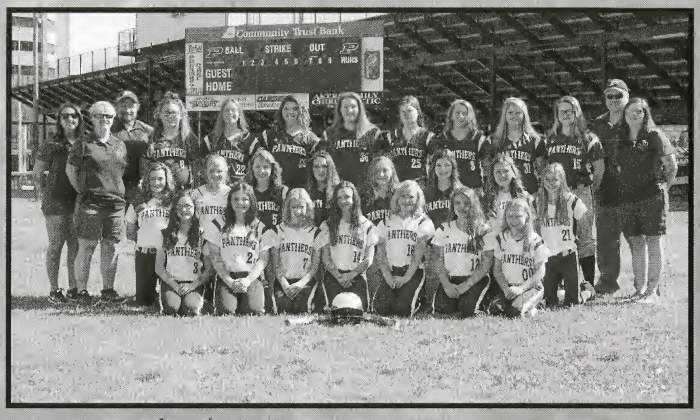


8th Graders

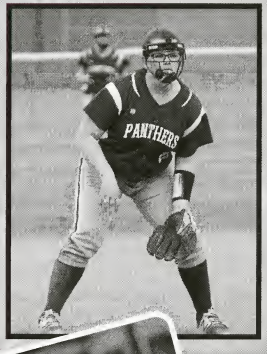


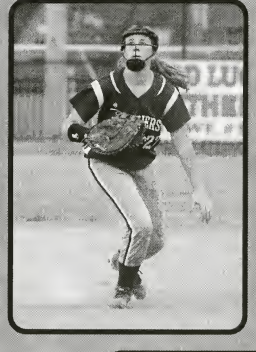


Runner-Up Fields of Freedom



Jr. High Softball (row 1) Kelcie Adams, Shana Ray, Cassidy Slater, Kennadee Potter, Izzi Rose, Dailey Damron, Allie Stapleton, (row 2) Bailey Smith, Olivia Hall, Rachel Wright, Asheton Godsey, Emma Hopkins, Emmi Edmonds, Kara Lee, McKinlee Potter, (row 3) asst. coach Heather Maynard, Coach Misty Haynes, asst. coach Lance Rose, Brae Ward, Jewel Booher, Madison Adkins, Kaylee Thacker, Ariana Jerrell, Emily Adkins, Sam Chaney, Randi Delong, asst. coach Tim Delong, asst. coach Ashley Adams





A Trip to Middle School Semi-State Tournament

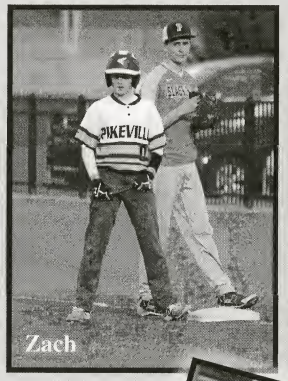
The eighth grade team had a strong finish on the season. They advanced to the state middle school tournament and made it to the second round by upsetting the number four team in the state, East Jessamine County, 3-2.

"The first round win over East Jessamine was the best game the eighth grade team played all year," Coach Lyle Blackburn said. "This is a very talented group and they will represent the high school team well.

They ended the season 14-10-1.

The seventh grade team played 22 games during regular season and finished 20-2.

Jr. High Baseball Team (row 1) Brandon Lowe, Lucas Blackburn, Jon Bryant, Jayden Leitch, Bryce Dempsey, Weston Lucas, Tate Walters, Isaac Coleman, Zach Rowe, (row 2) Coach Lyle Blackburn, Colton Tackett, Nate Collins, Isaac McNamee, Tanner Sampson, Braydan Adkins, Mason Ward, Hunter Jones,Tait Lakin, Coach Shadd Walters, Coach Robbie Wright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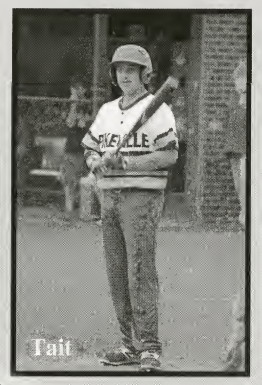
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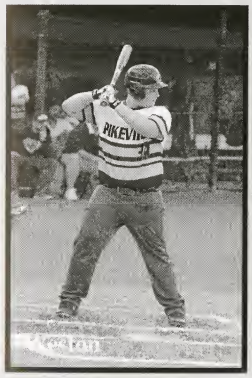
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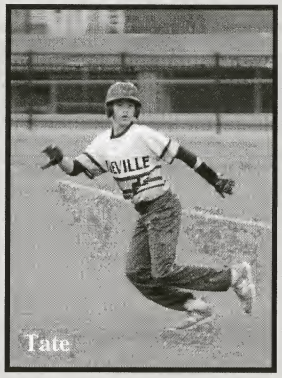
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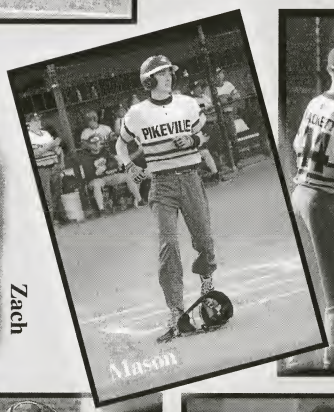
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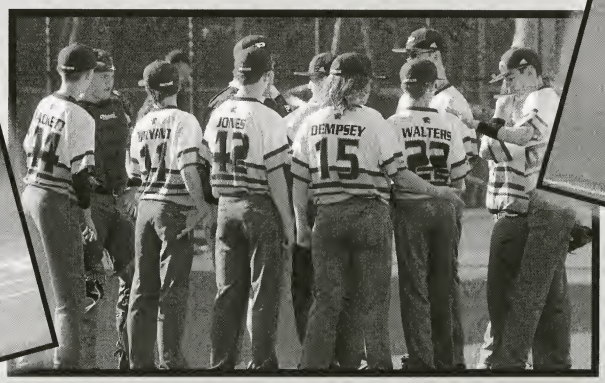

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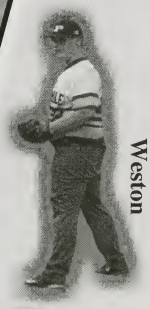
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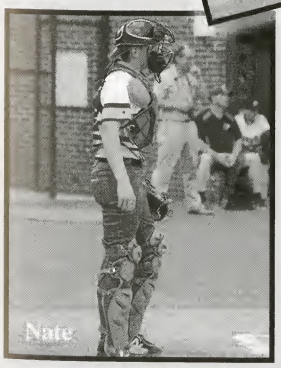
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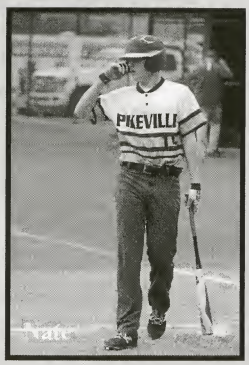
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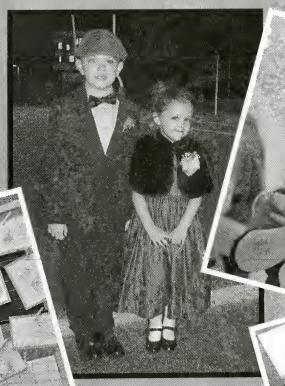

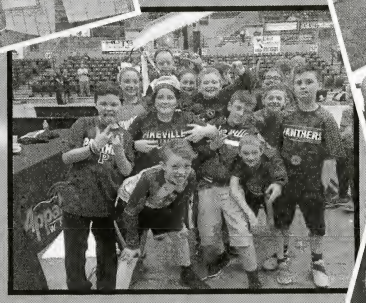

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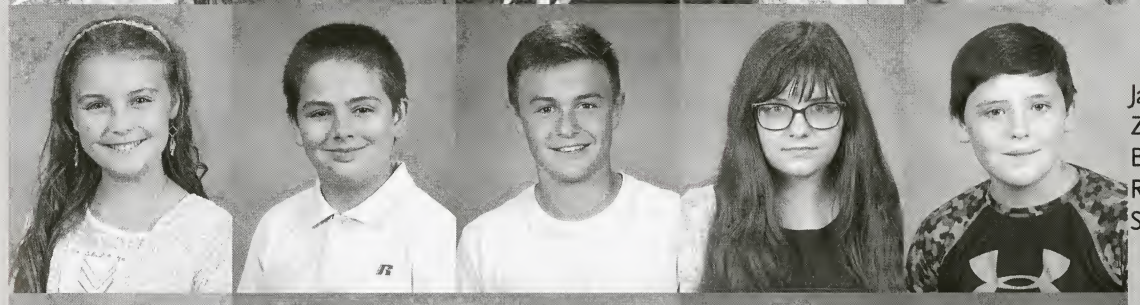

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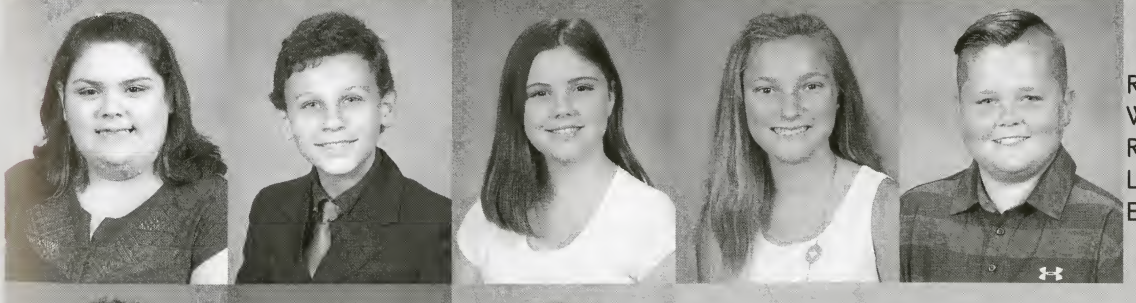

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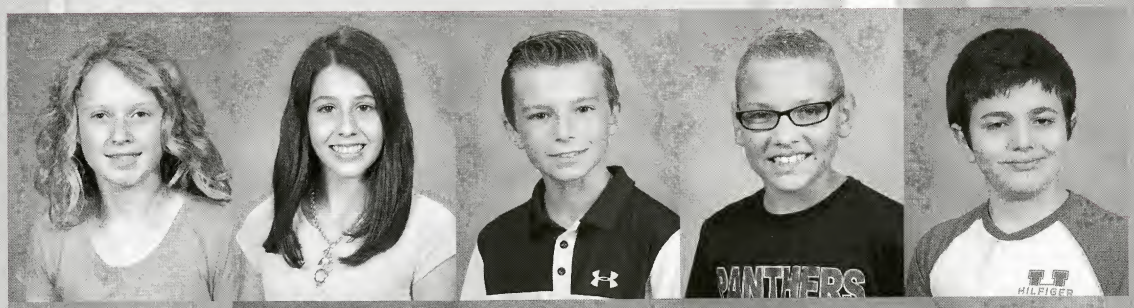

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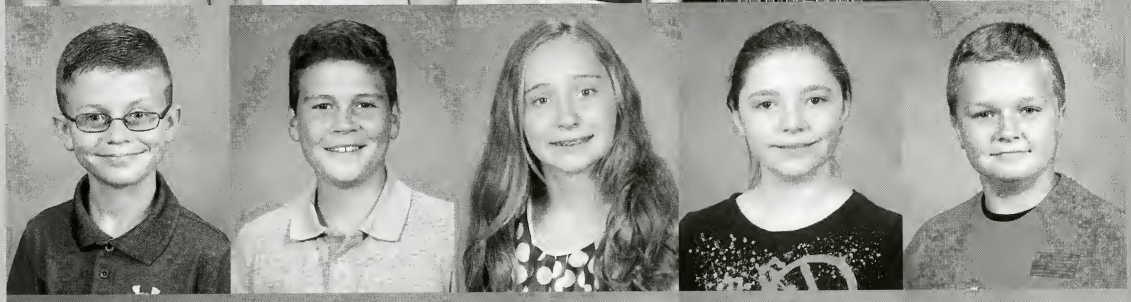

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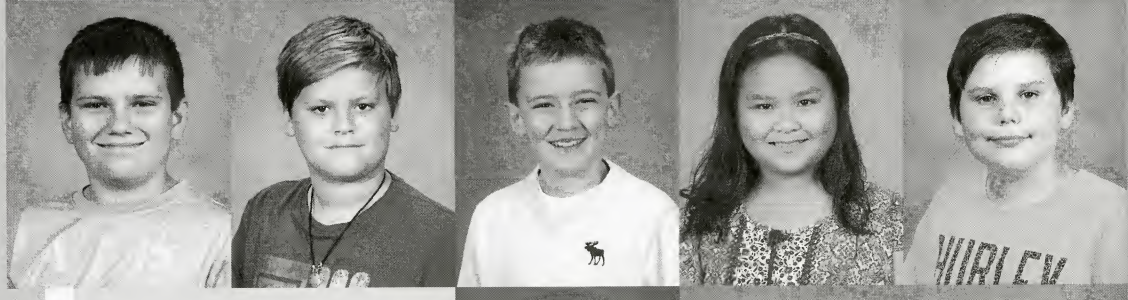

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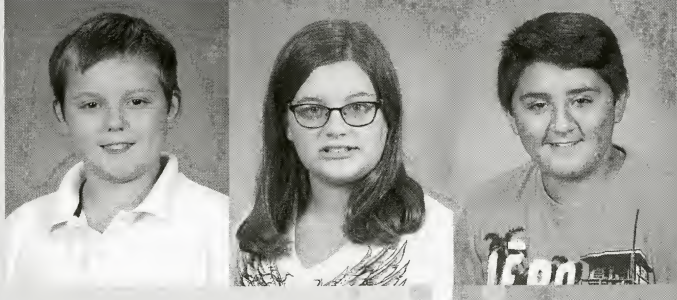

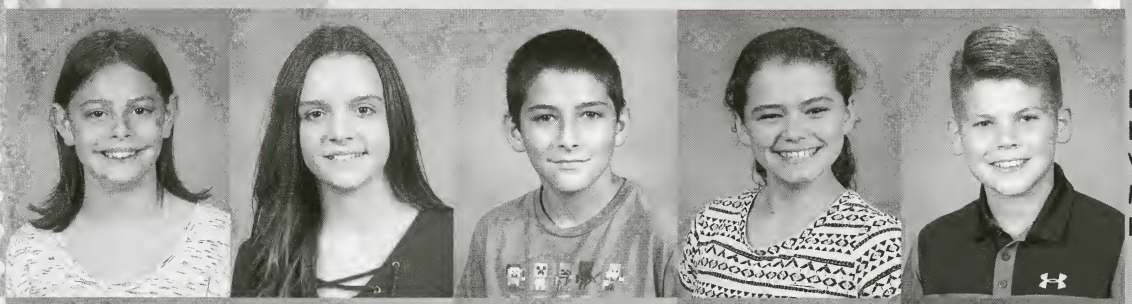

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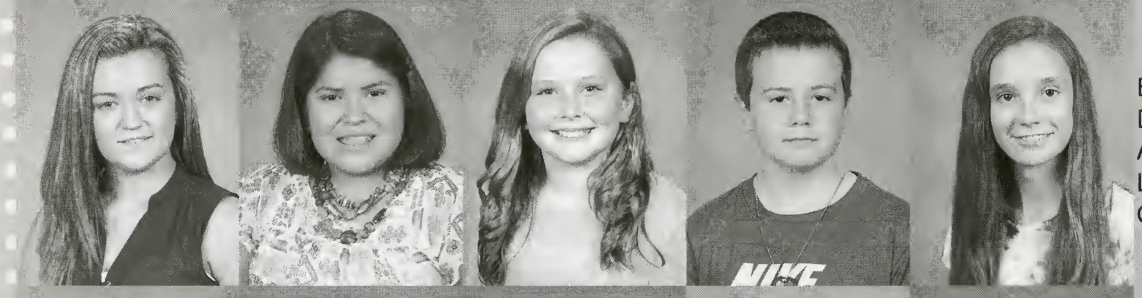

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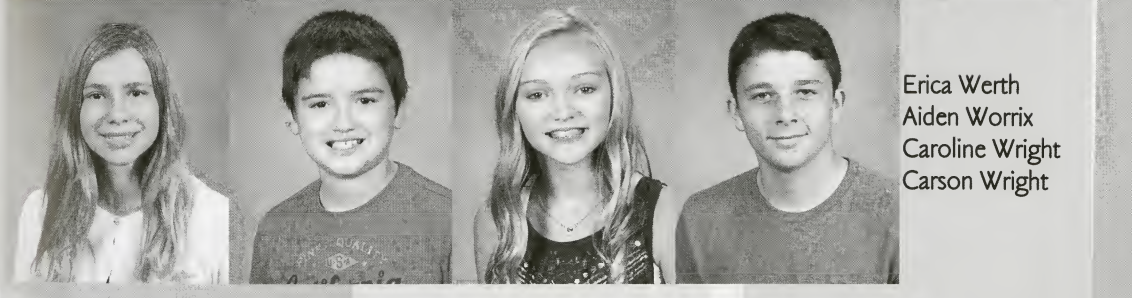

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Natalie Boone
Kylie Brandt
Lucas Branham

Caroline Brown
Merrick Byers
Blake Caudill
Josie Clevinger
Molly Coleman

Bryson Collins
Grace Collins
Elle Colston
Cady Cooley
Zakery Crider

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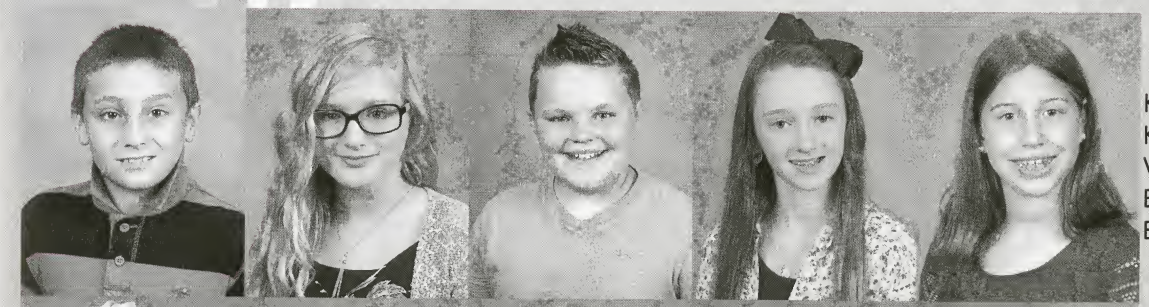

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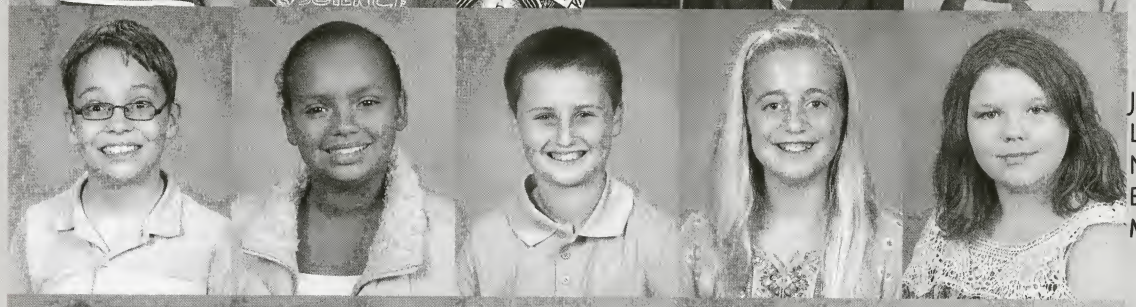

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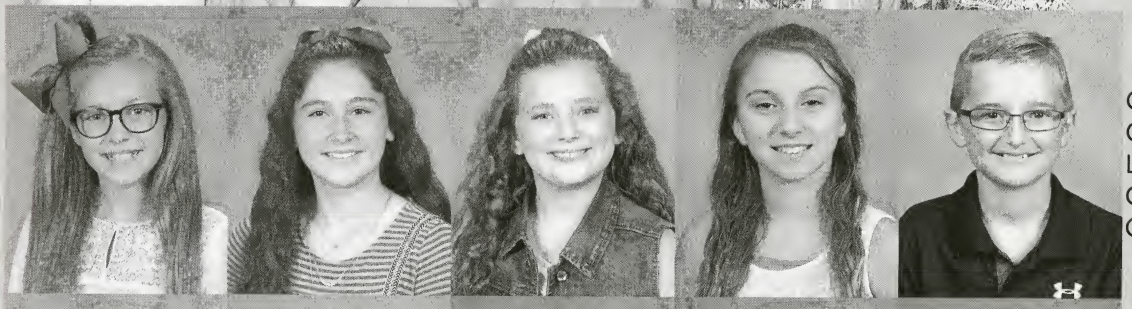

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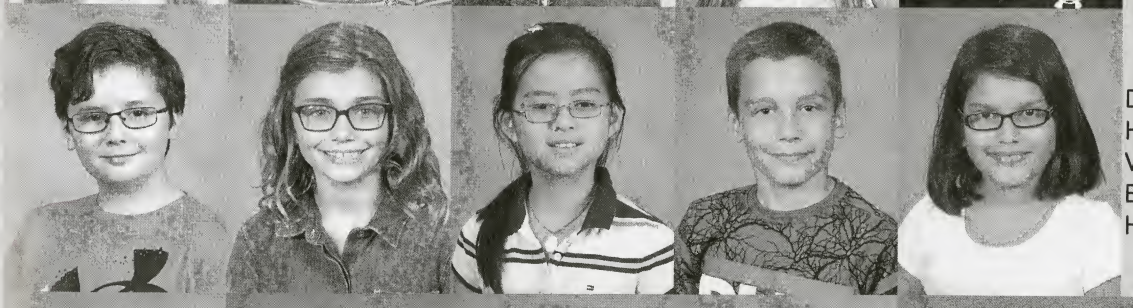

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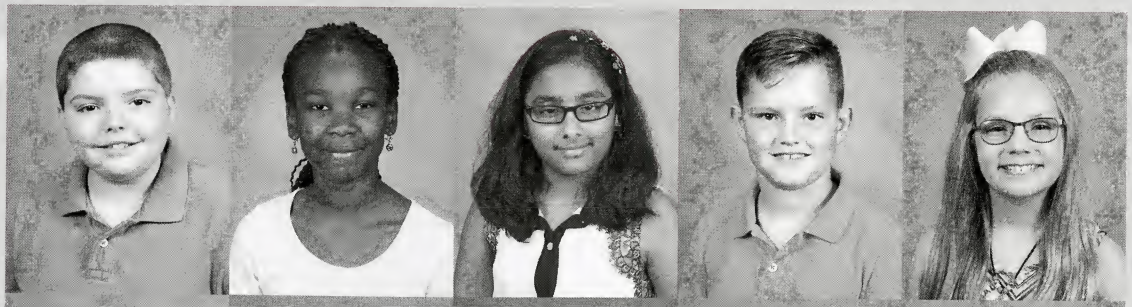

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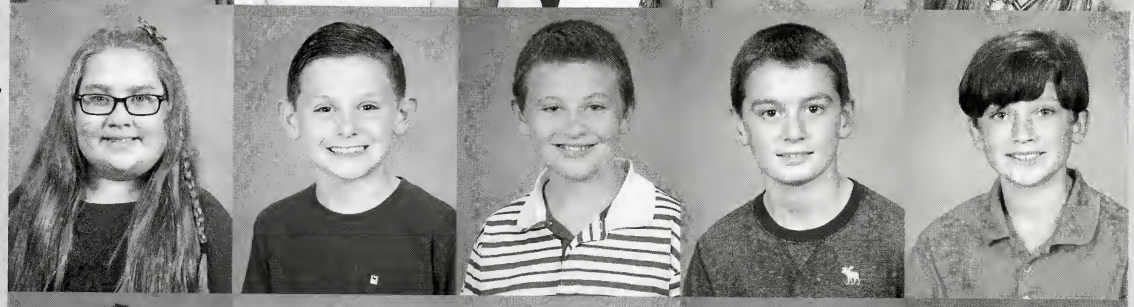

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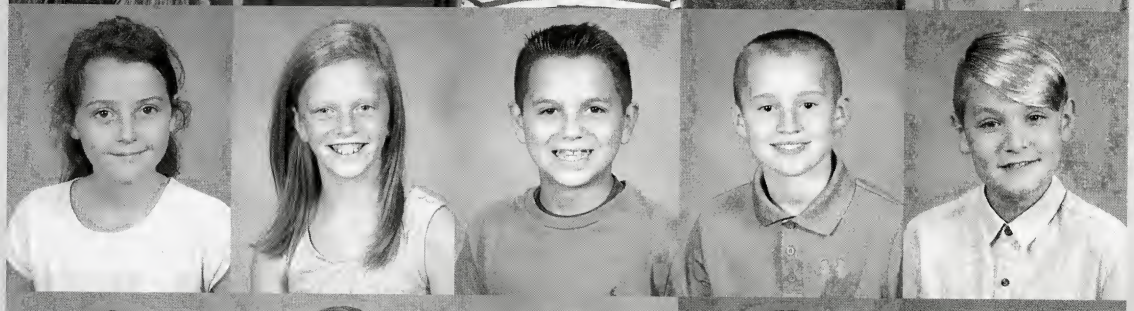

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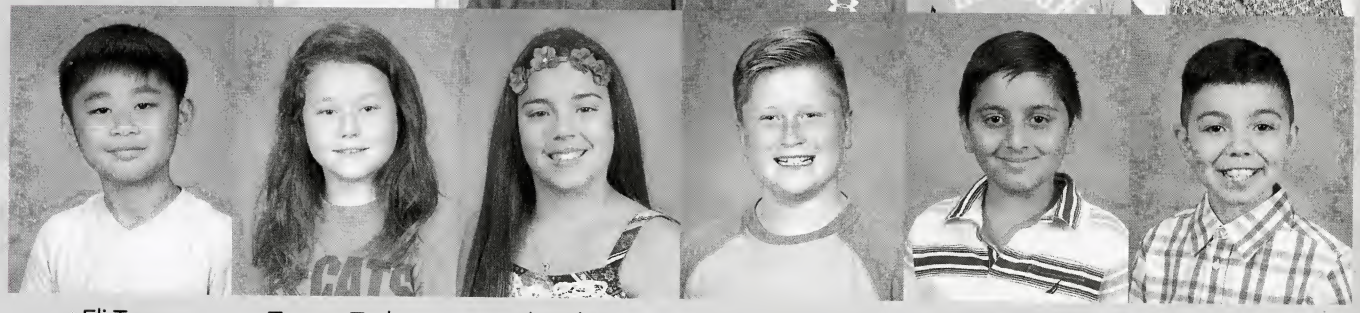

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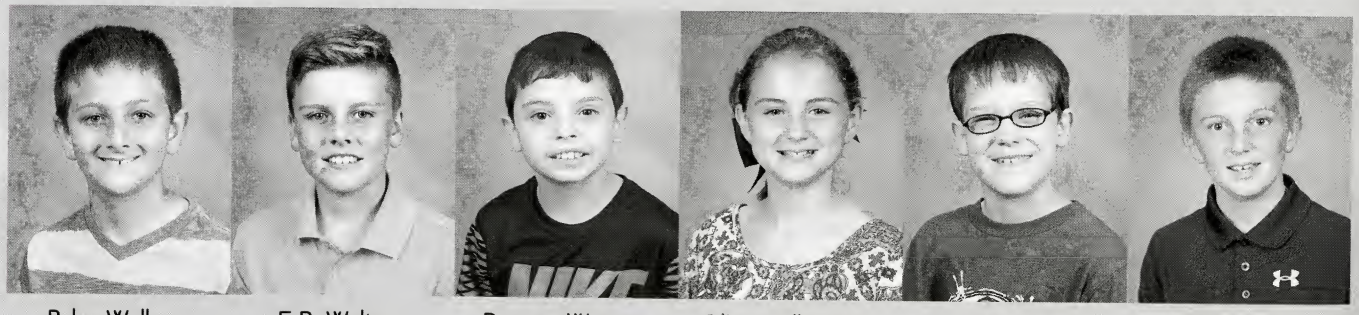

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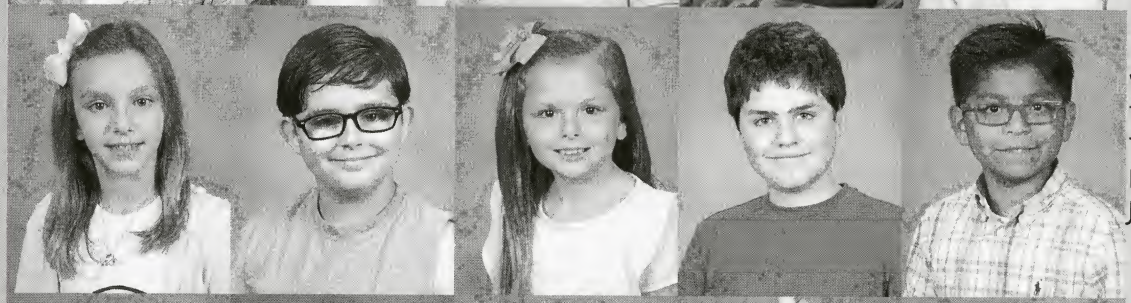

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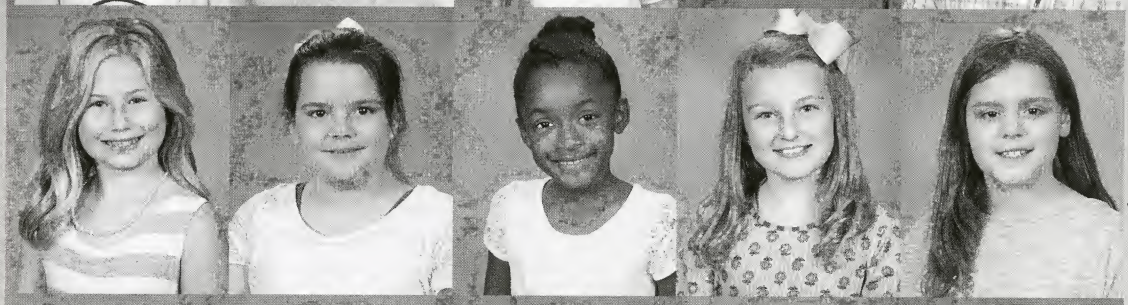

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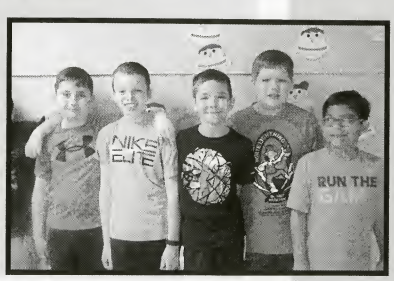

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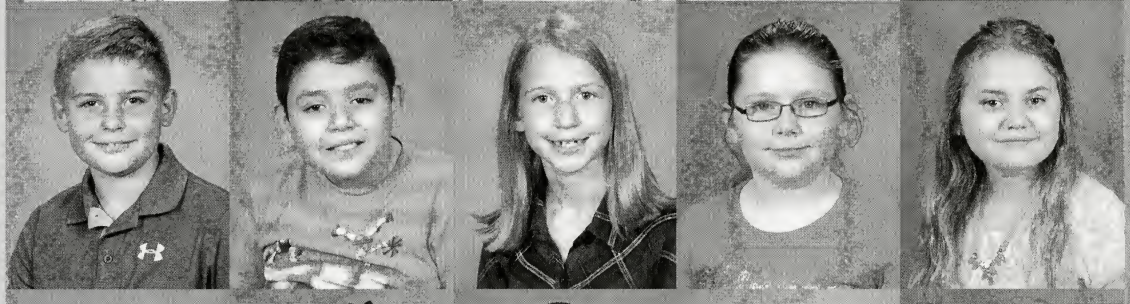

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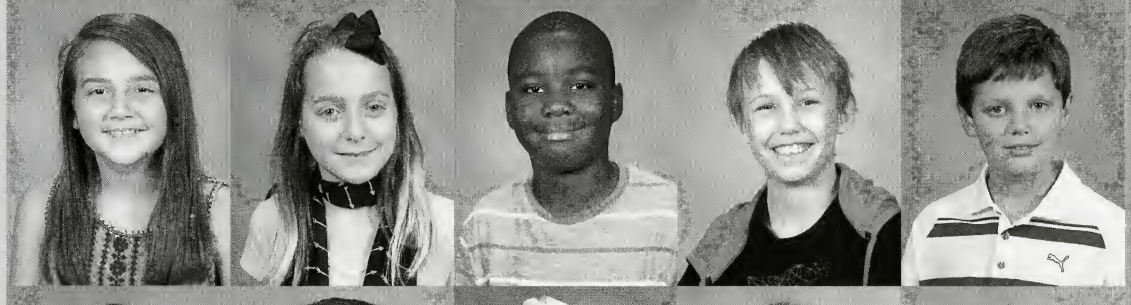

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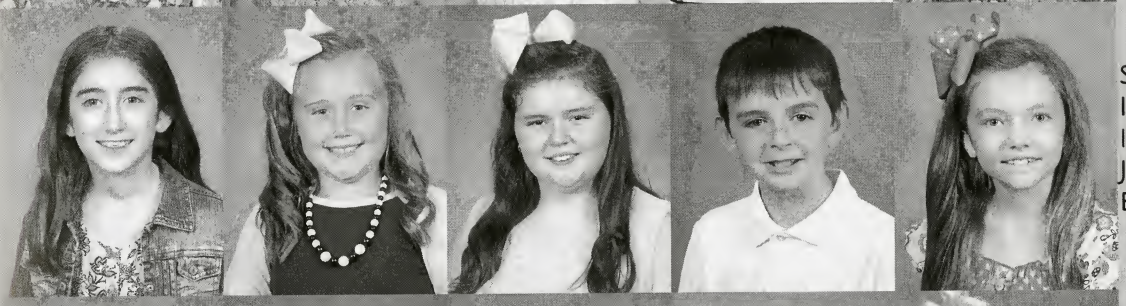

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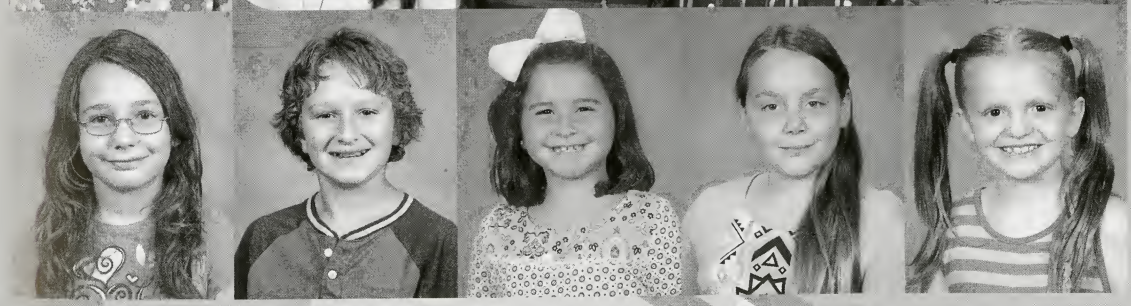

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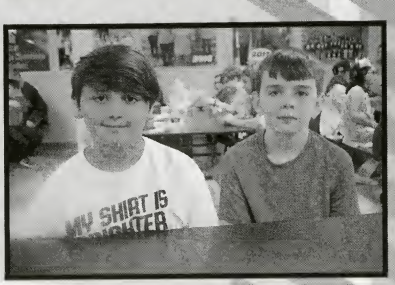

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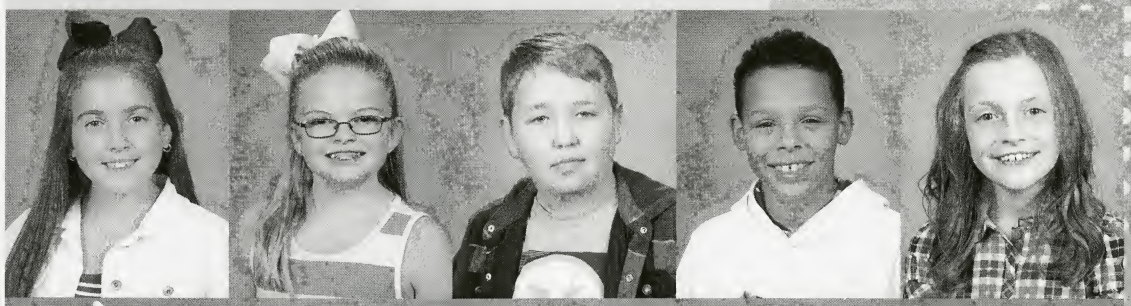

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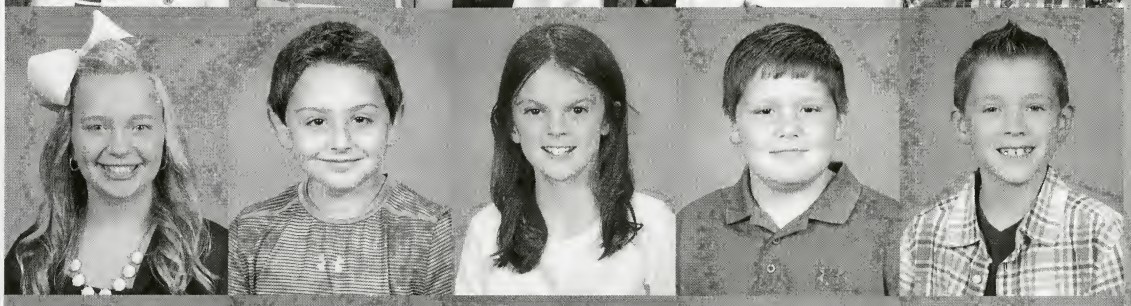

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Elijah Akers
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Logan Baker

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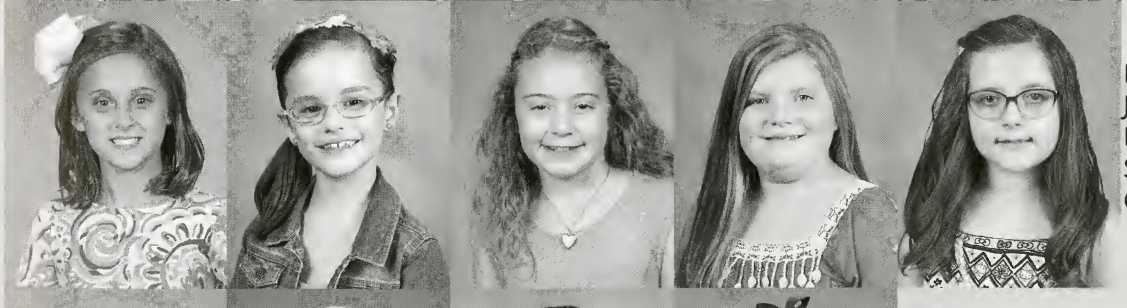

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Meghan Griffey
Gabriella Gutierrez
Sierra Gutierrez
Bryson Hall

Elijah Hall
Seth Hall
Ethan Hamilton
Preston Hamilton
Ahmad Harfoush

Arisa Hickenbotham
Aaliyah Howell
Caleb Ingram
Isabella Ison
Bailey Jackson

Kenny Jacobs
Abigail Johns
Raven Jones
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Masten Kidd

Katonna Kilgore
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Joseph Malone

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Carly May
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Sheridan Norman

Maria Perez
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Jayda Richardson
Kiara Robinson
Jeffrey Rowe
Jayden Sawyers

Cole Slone
Darian Slone
William Slone
Layton Smith
Colby Spencer

Coltan Stevens
Ashton Tackett
Kaden Thomas
Elizabeth Tomlinson
Sadie Varney

Ashlyn Wallace
Jack Webb
Emily Werth
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Sophia Woods

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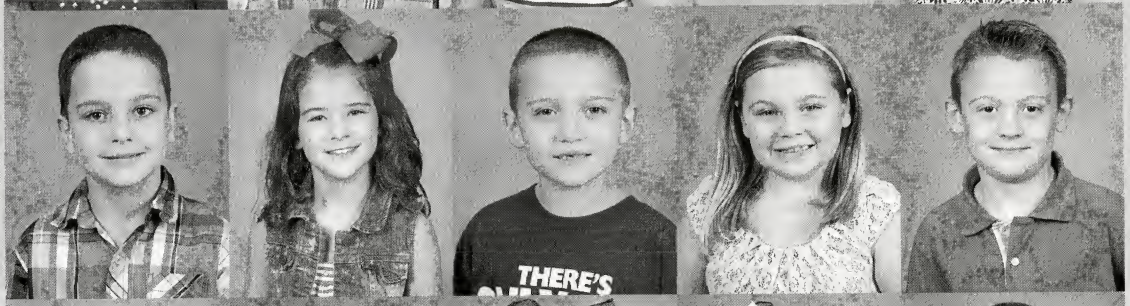

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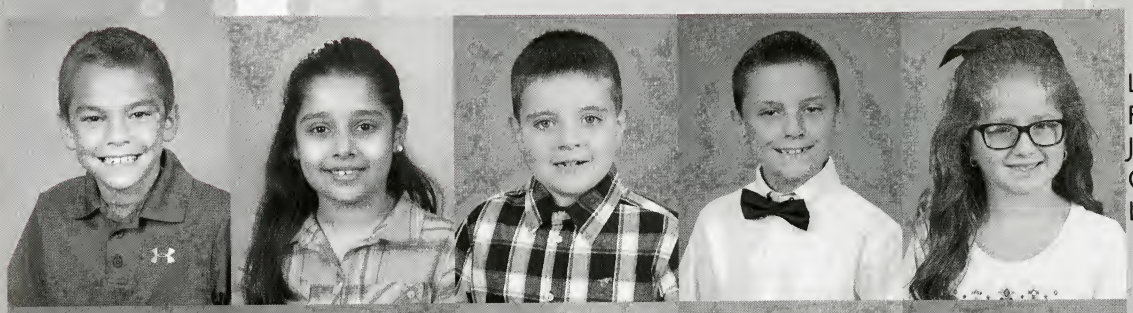

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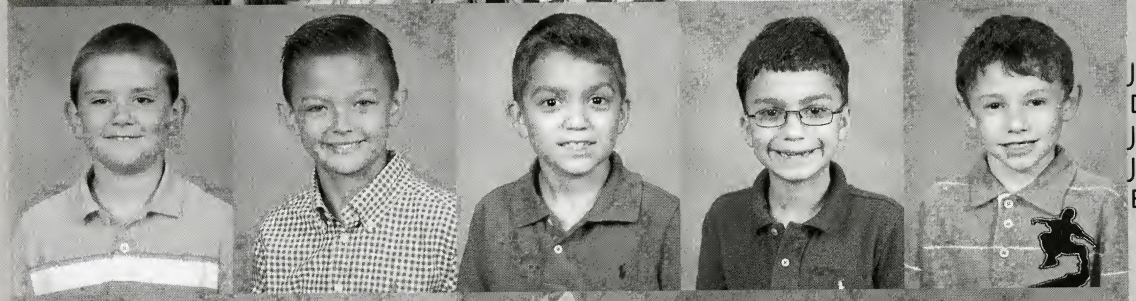

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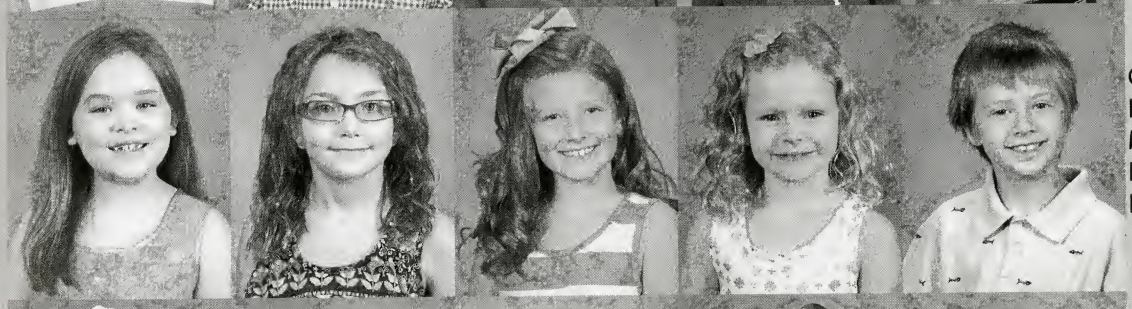

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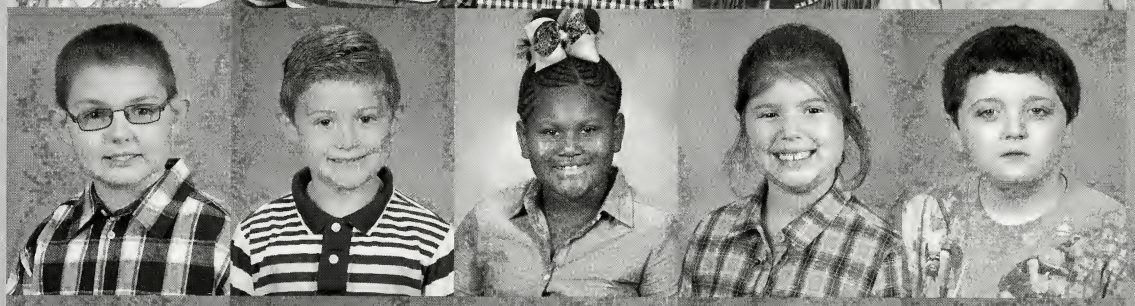

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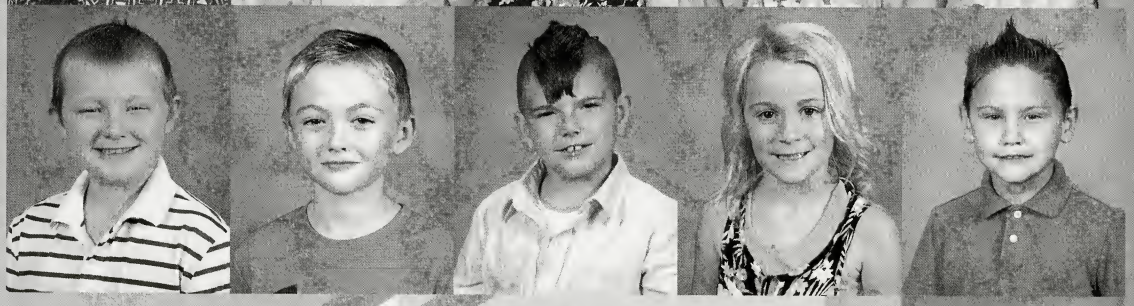

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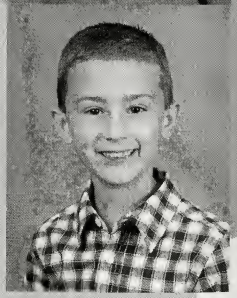

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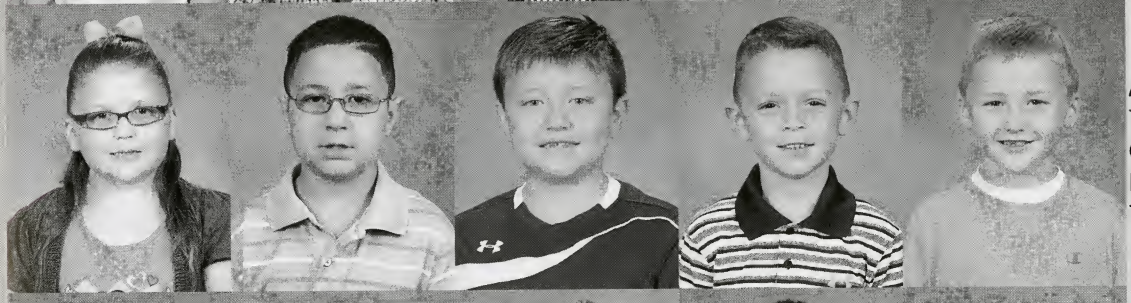

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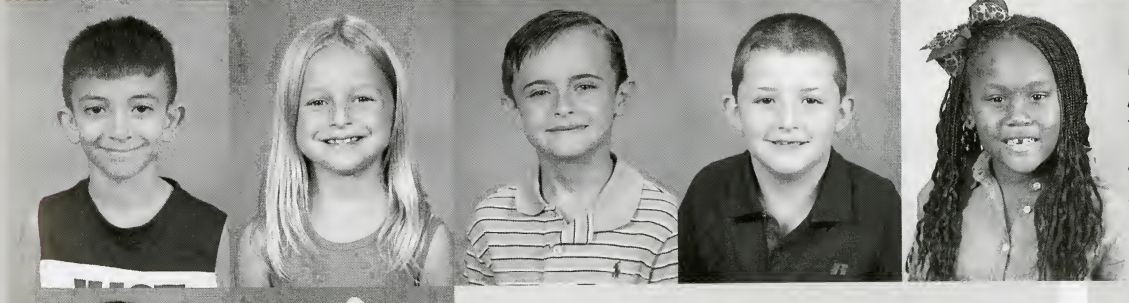

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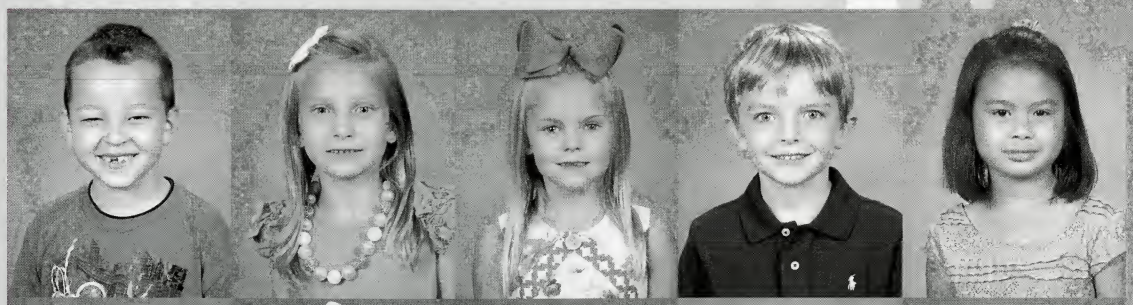

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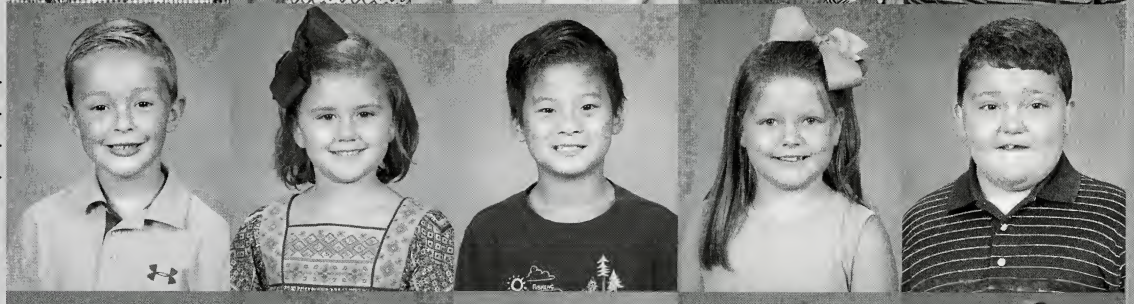

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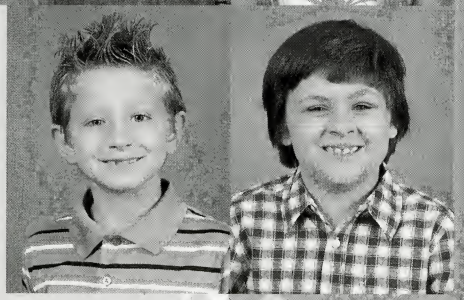

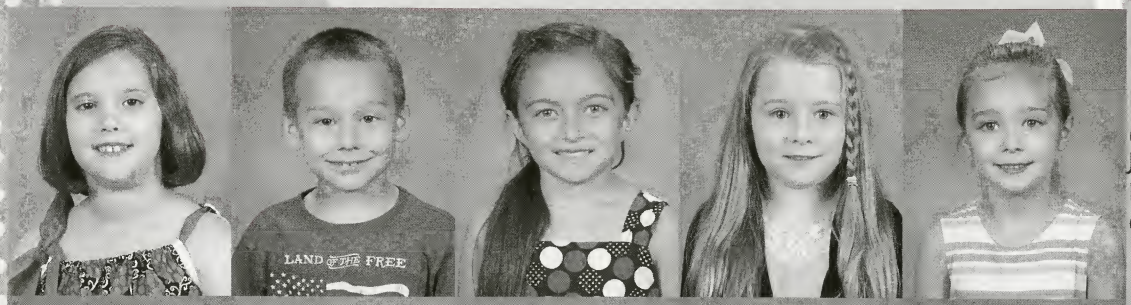

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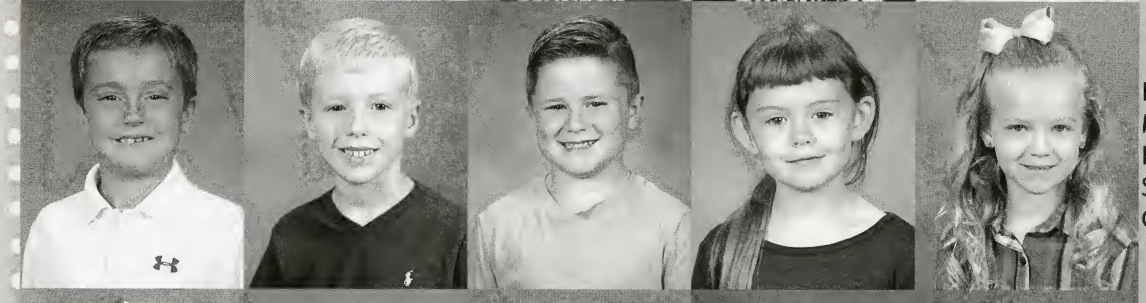

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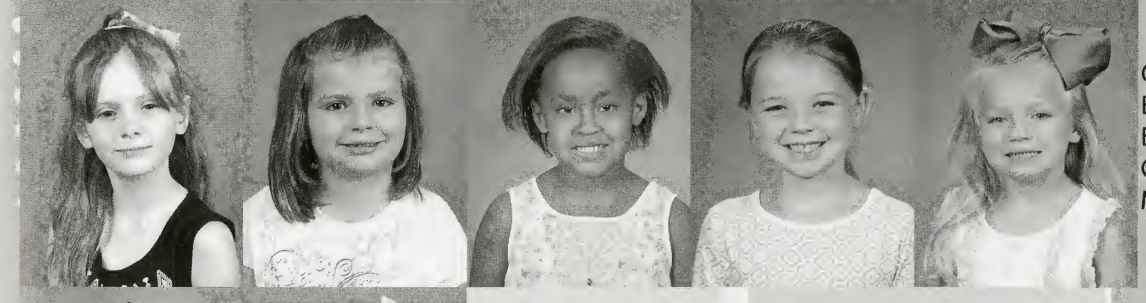

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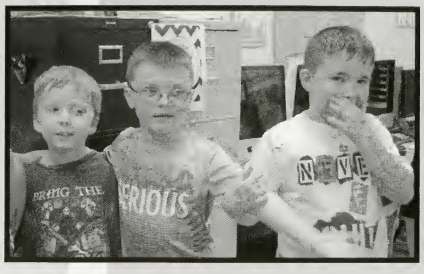

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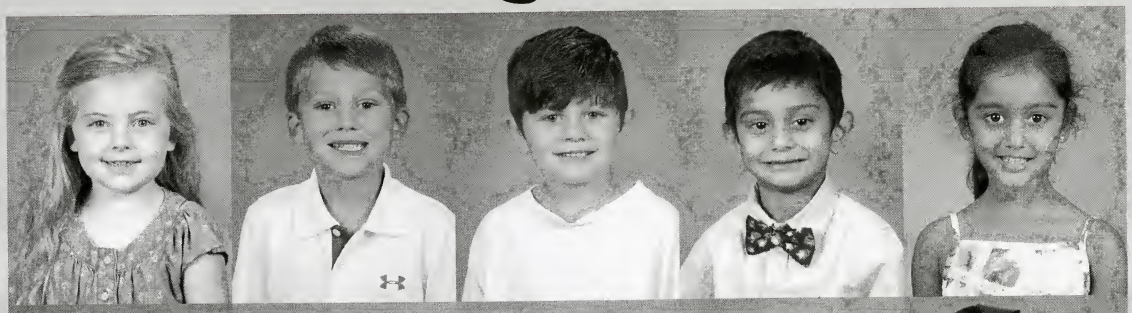

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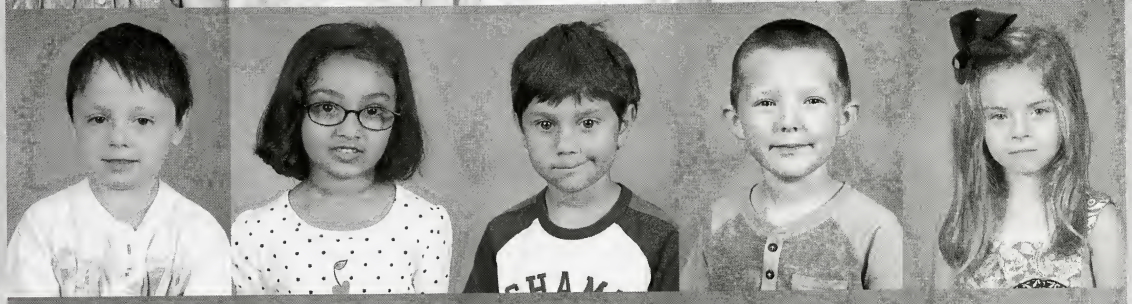

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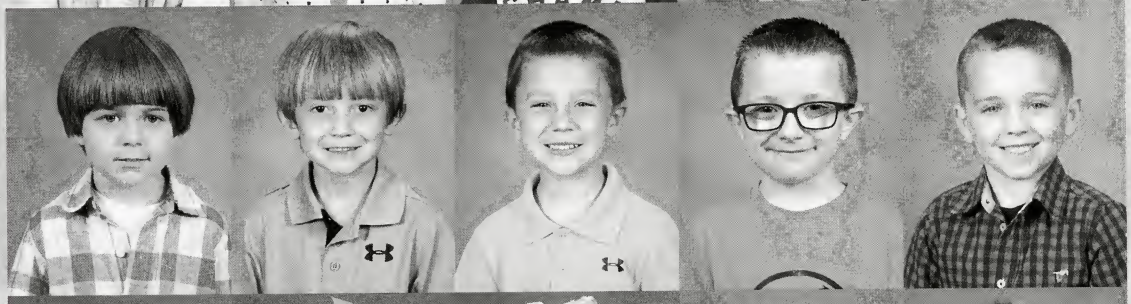

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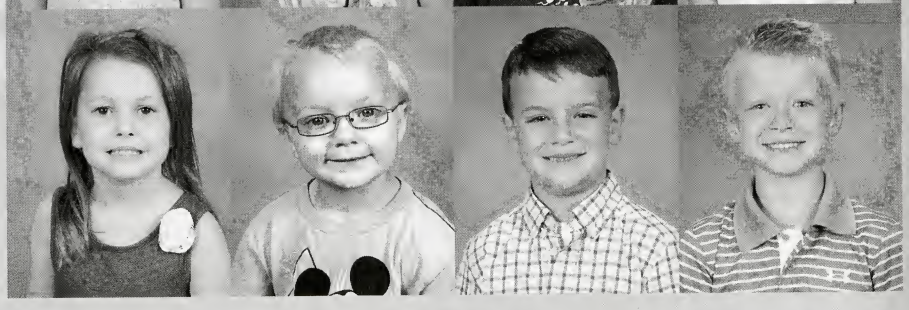

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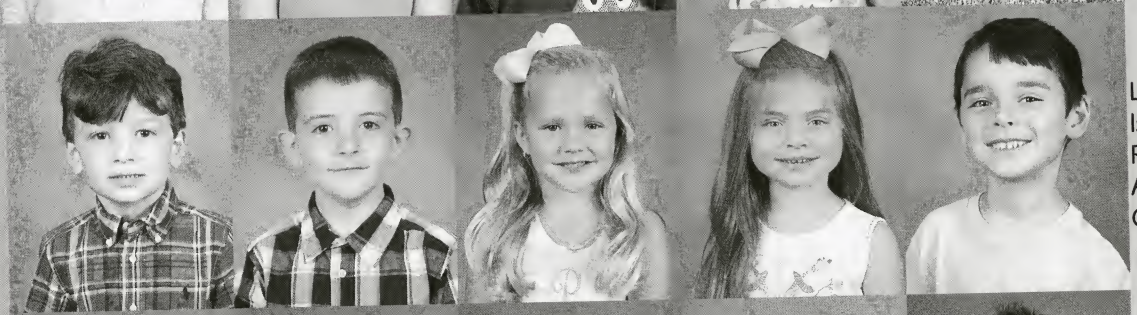

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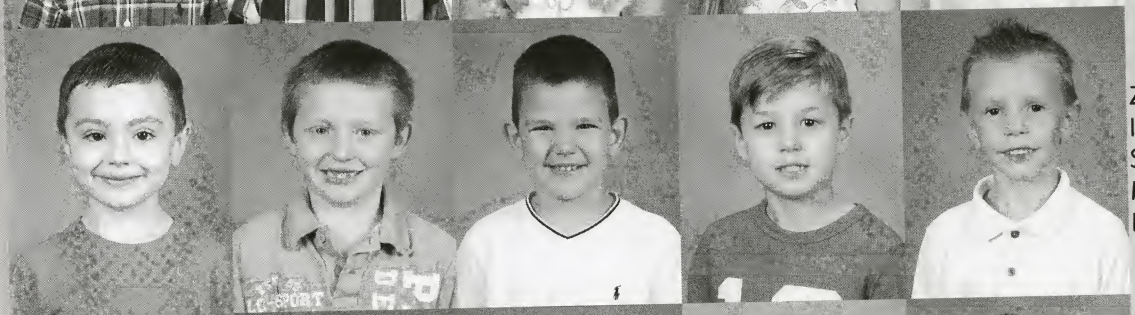

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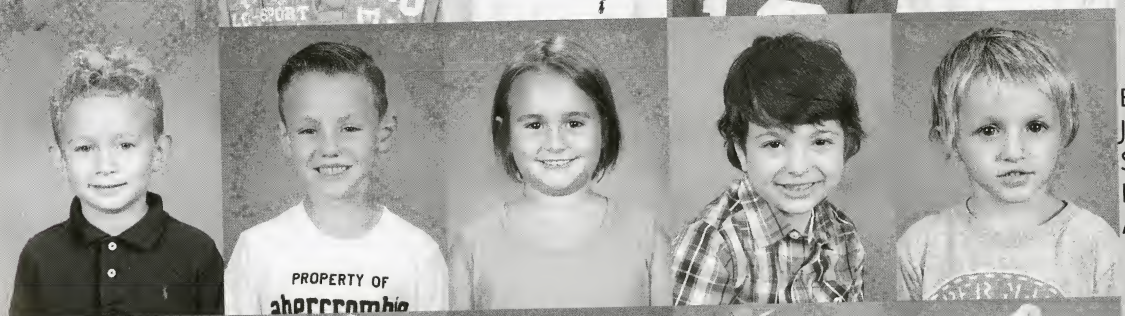

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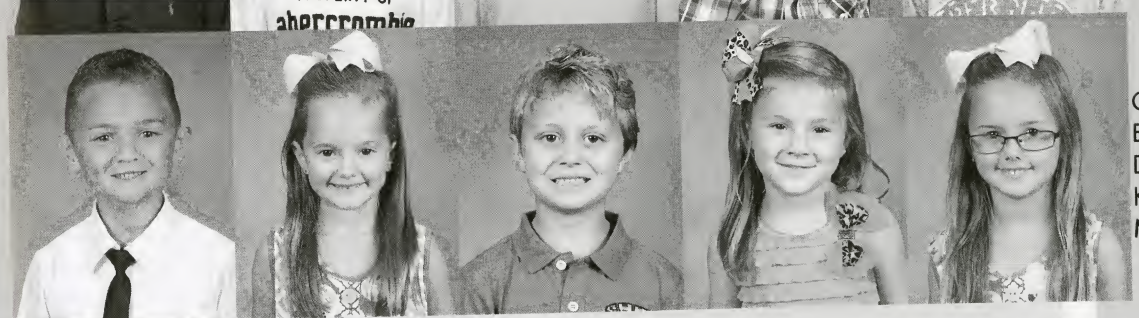

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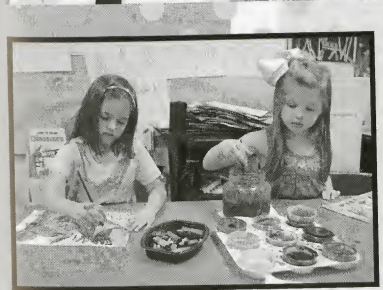

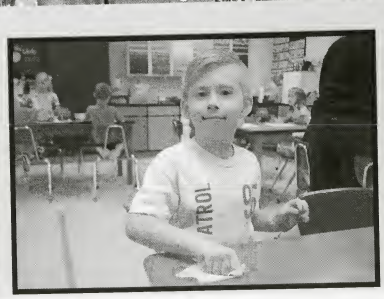

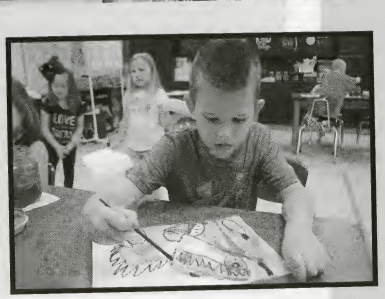

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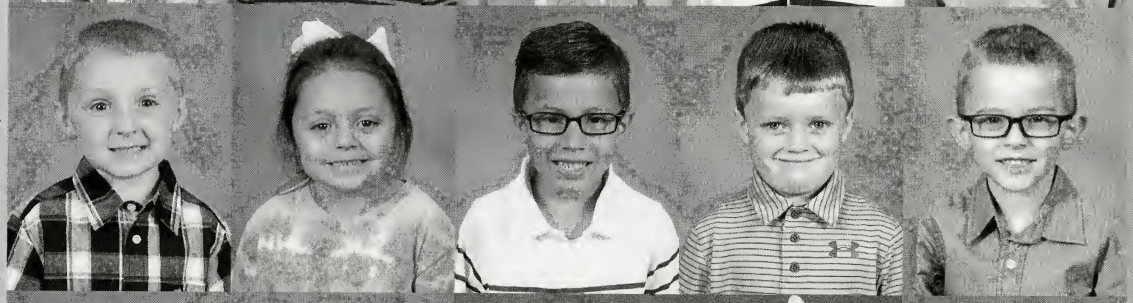

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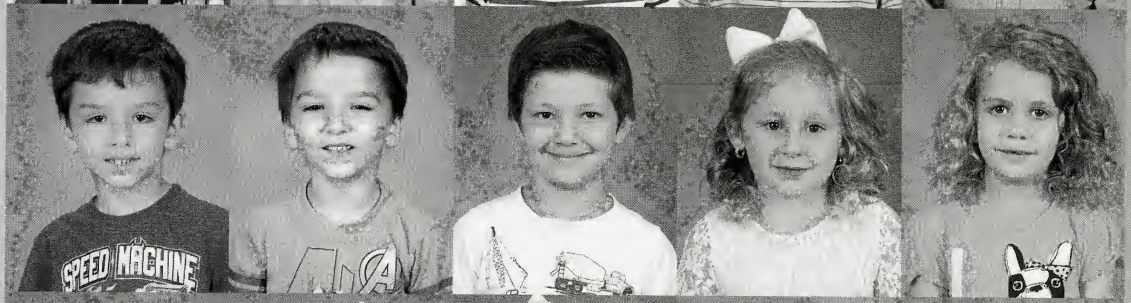

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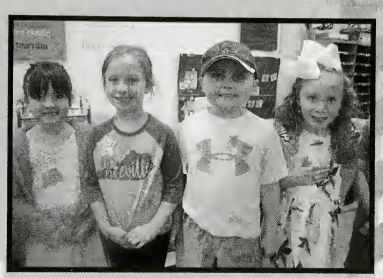

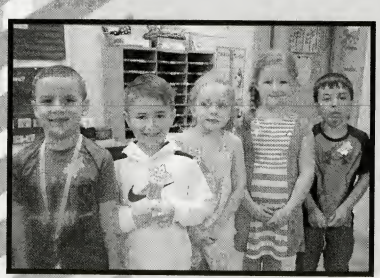

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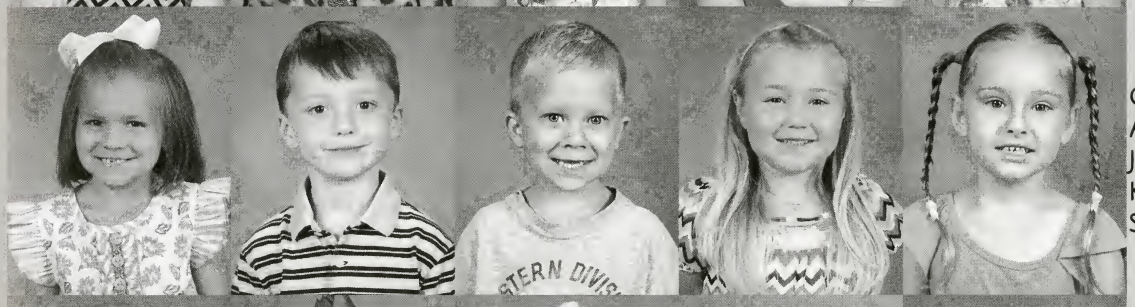

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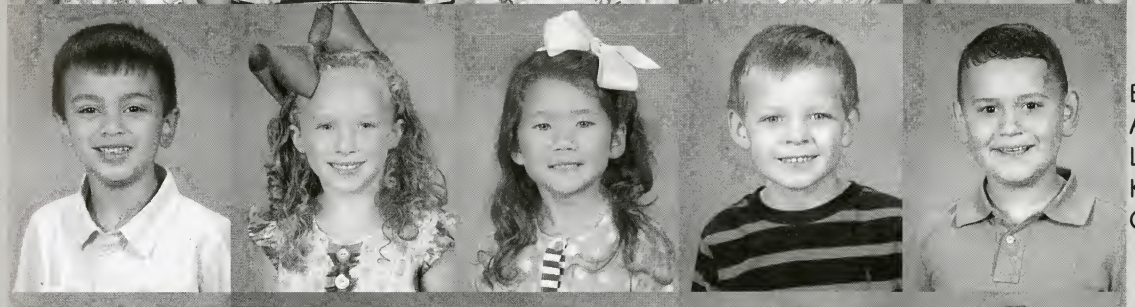

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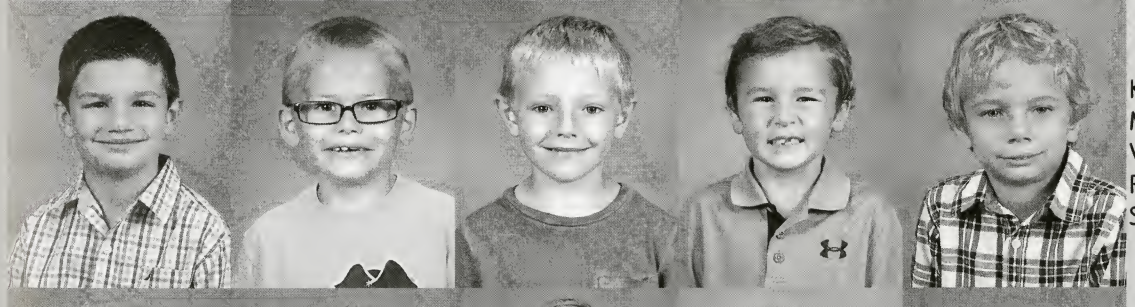

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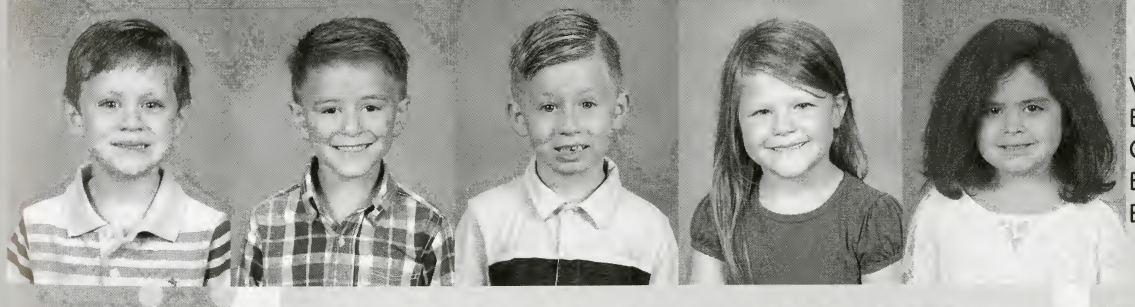

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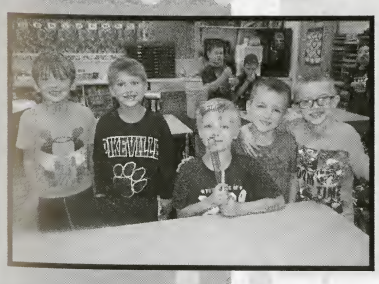

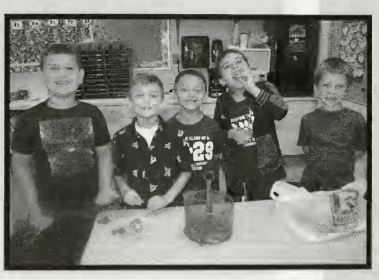

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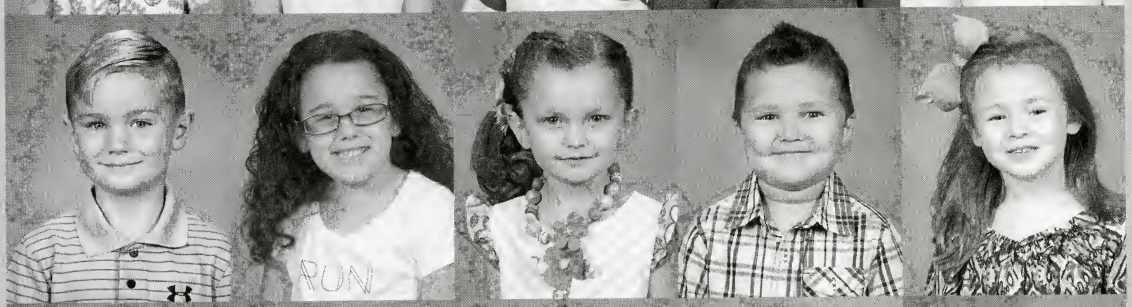

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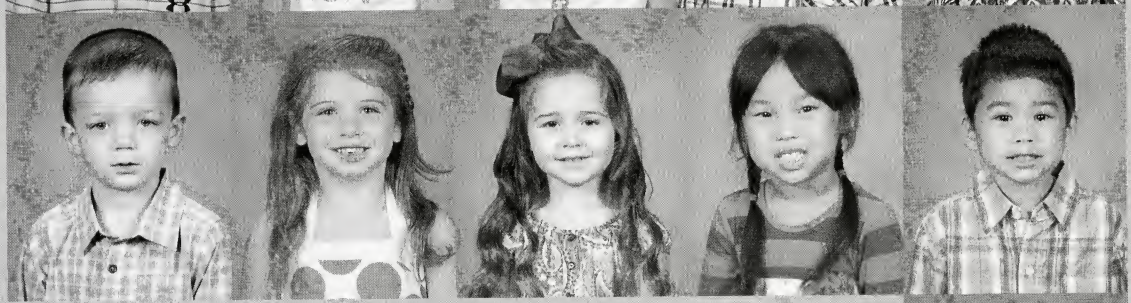

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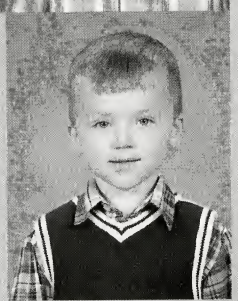

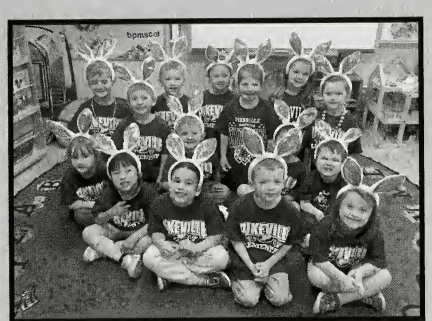

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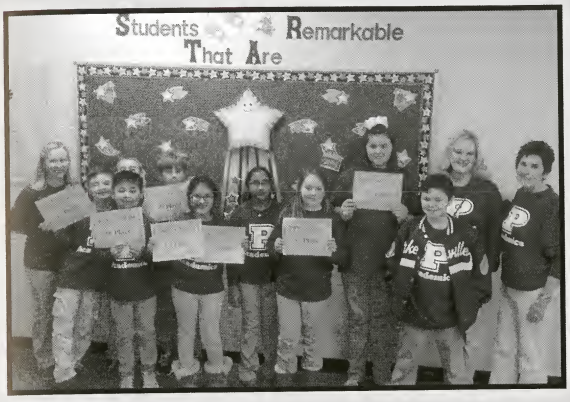
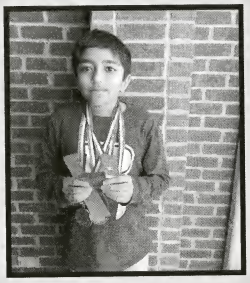


Elementary Academic Team (in no particular order) Jonah Adkins, Andrew Bentley, Kylie Brandt, Aidan Cassady, Cady Cooley, Andrew Deskins, Tate Fields, Clinton Goff, Noah Howie, Cameron Jones, Hibba Mansoor, Isabella Mulkey, Allara Parsons, Aastha Patel, Aneesh Sharma, Indigo Schnopp-Wyatt, Eli Tan, Riley Theiss, Clayton Thornbury, Alayna Varney, Olivia Williamson, Coach Kim Fields, assistant coaches Jeff Akers, Betty McGuire, Jane Pruitt, Markayla Stevens

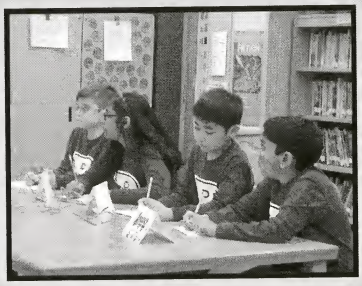


Aneesh Sharma - only perfect score in Science in the State

The elementary academic team had much to celebrate. In District Governor's Cup competition, all members advanced to Region with the team placing first in the quick recall and future problem solving categories.

The Regional Governor's Cup was held at Johns Creek Elementary. The team captured its fifth straight championship, the only school in the region to achieve this feat.

Clinton Goff - only perfect score in Social Studies in the State



District Governor's Cup
Quick Recall, Future Problem Solving, Overall - first

Individual Categories First Place
Aneesh Sharma - Math
Hibba Mansoor - Science
Andrew Deskins - Social Studies
Aastha Patel - Arts/Humanities
Cady Cooley - Language Arts
Jonah Adkins - Composition

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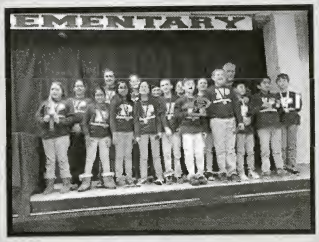


"Regional competition for elementary students began in 1992," said Coach Kim Fields. "Since that time, in our region, as of 2016, two schools had a record for winning four consecutive regional titles: Southside Elementary (2008-2011) and Pikeville Elementary (2013 - 2016). When we won this year we became the first elementary school in our region to win five consecutive region titles."

Year-long Reading Challenge

Sixth grade students answered a challenge from Principal Robert Jones to read 1,250 books during the school year. The students won the challenge, and so Mr. Jones, dressed in tutu, wearing a t-shirt that declared he hates the Dallas Cowboys and a Pittsburgh Steelers hat, kissed a pig.

Distinguished Rating at Festival

The elementary chorus practices every Thursday after school in preparation for their three competitions and two performances - a Christmas Concert and a Spring Concert.

The group accomplished a lot for a small group of singers, receiving a distinguished rating at the District Festival.

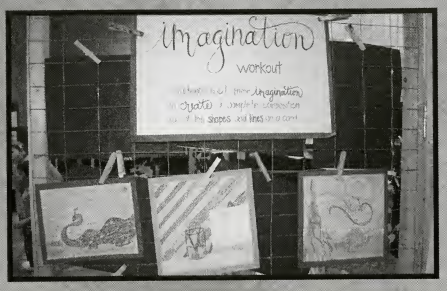
Elementary Chorus (row 1) Felicia Ruehl, Alexis Coleman, Lindsey Shanklin, Emily Newsome, Alayna Varney, Madeline Williams, Hailey Jo Brown, Vasiliki Asimelli, McKenzie Blankenship, Rylee Baker, (row 2) Olivia Adams, Chloe Olegario, Macey Wright, Emily Osborne-Owens, Allara Parsons, Cadee Ferguson, Jayden Alley, Christina Al Akhrass, Hannah Justice, (row 3) Candace Green, Reece Patton, Madison Gray, Makenna Adkins, Isabella Mulkey, Breanna Bowling, Peyton Ratliff, Emma Hopkins, Jay McNamee

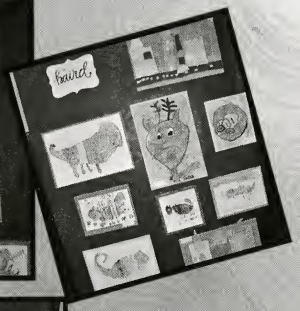
An Imaginary Celebration

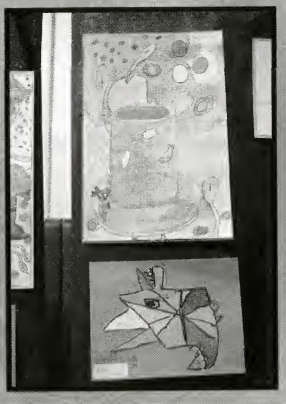
Elementary Art Showcase

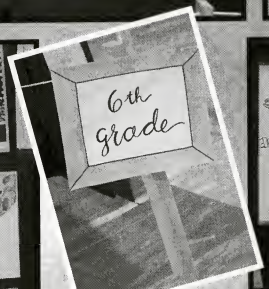
Representing art students in kindergarten through sixth grade, the annual art show highlighted the creative and expressive nature of their works.

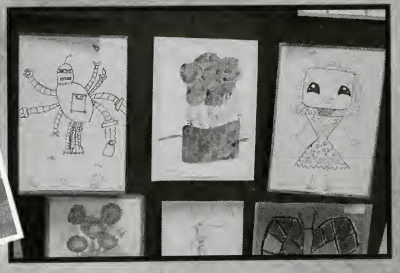
Students were eager to show their creations to family and friends on Sunday, April 30 and Monday, May 1.

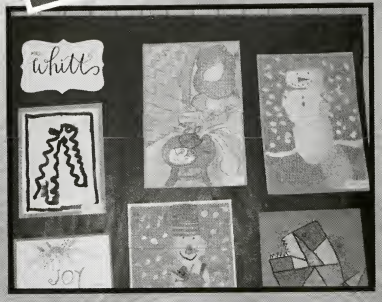


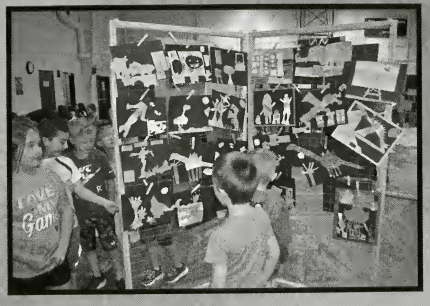








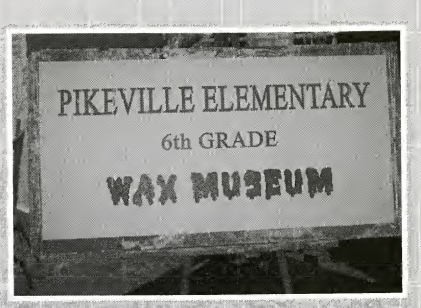


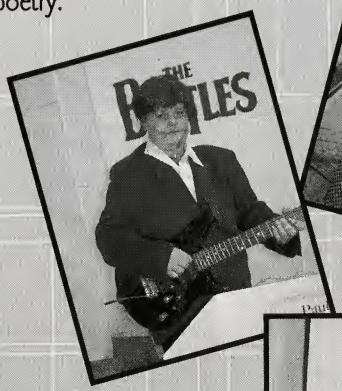


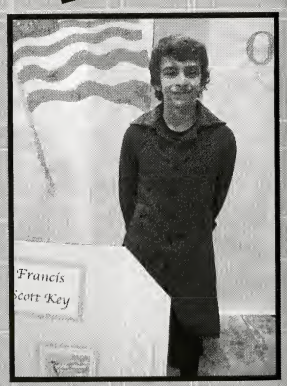
Sixth Grade Hosts Living Wax Museum

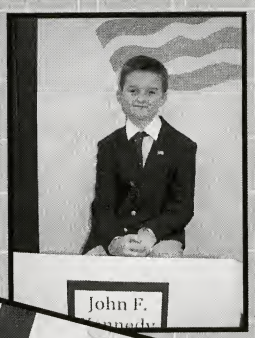
Sixth grade students participated in the annual Living Wax Museum. Throughout the course of the two-day event on November 15 and 16, the 68 students disguised themselves as different characters, both fictional and non-fictional. They prepared costumes, speeches, props, and backdrops for their characters.

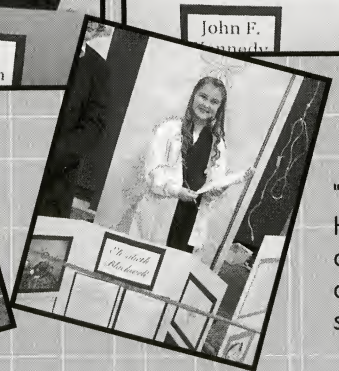
The students incorporated art by painting their banners, creating their trifold presentations, and writing poetry.





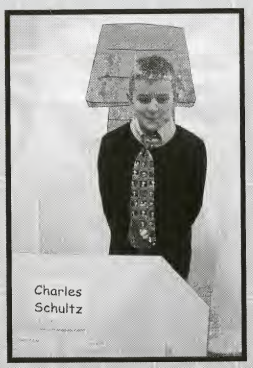






"They have learned so much," reading teacher Jatanna Hall said. " Not just about their characters, but about other student's characters. They have also gained confidence in themselves. They have learned to speak publicly."

Shirley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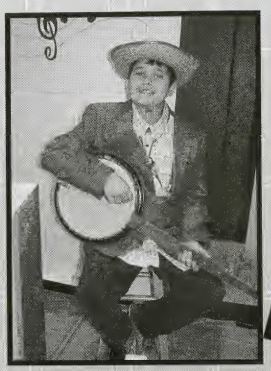

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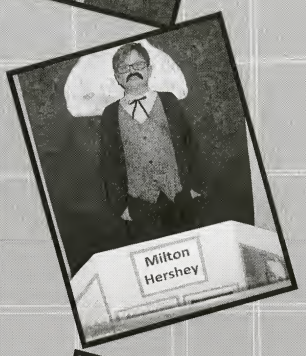
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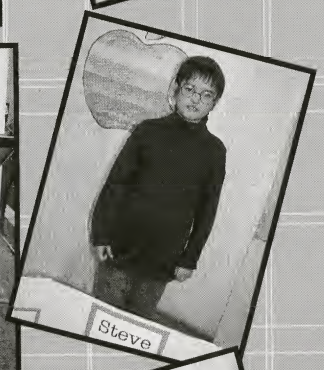
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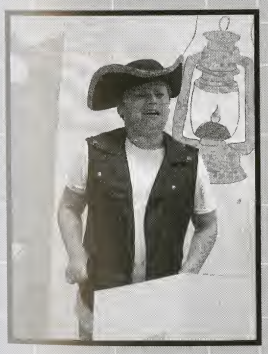

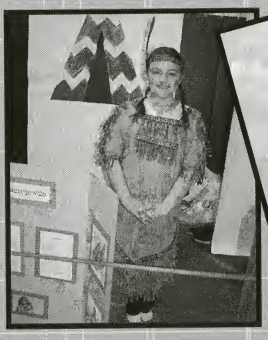

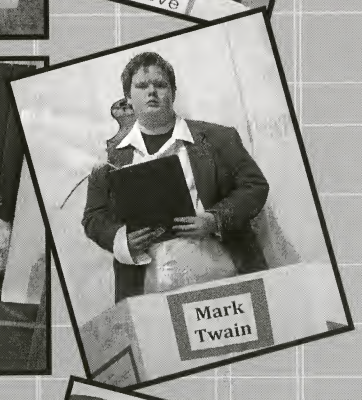
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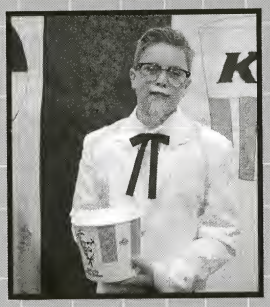

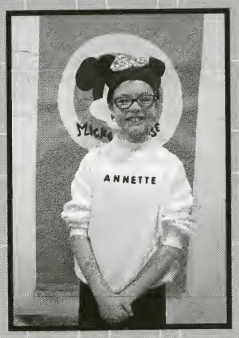
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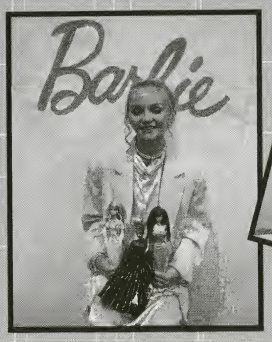

Barbie

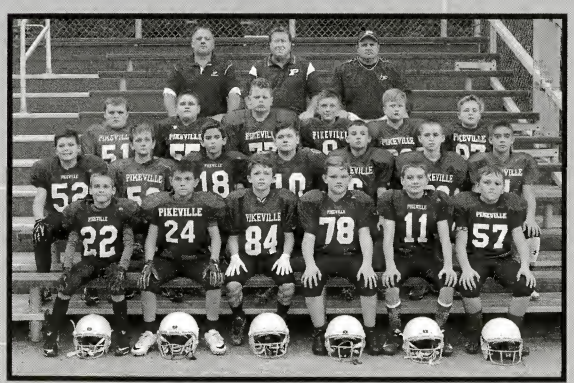
Little League Football

Gray Team: Jesse Adams, Ian Blackburn, Adam Coleman, Landon Combs, Grayson Jones, Jamar Layne, Noah Raleigh, Caden Ratliff, Jamari Skinner, Cole Slone, Wallace Taylor,

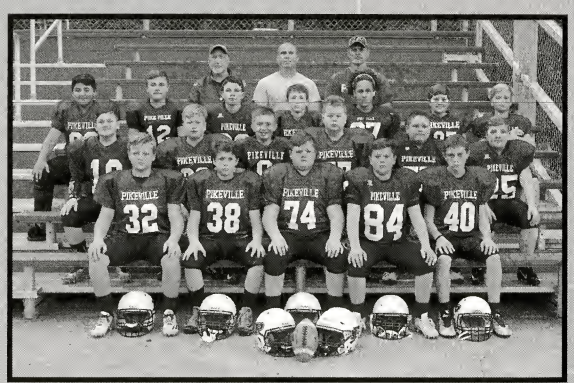
White Team: Ashton Adkins, Hunter Chaney, Isaac Duty, Seth Hall, Masten Kidd, Zach McCoy, Cort Noud, Ryan Roberts, Layton Smith, Morgan Tackett, Kaden Thomas

Maroon Team: Brady Coleman, Mikael Gibson, Bryson Hall, Elijah Hall, Max, Hunt, Ian Justice, Zachary Lovern, Ian Onkst, Connor Price, Ethan Ramey, Mason Wells,

Black Team: Hayden Bentley, Landon Dunn, Dalton Gillespie, James Jariba,Trey McCracken, Henry McNamee, Jaydon Muncy, Dawson Prater, Connor Ratliff, Deonte Steven, Caden Thacker



Fifth Grade Team: Jona Adkins, Lucas Branham, Blake Caudill, Zach Edmonds, Jackson Hall, William Herald, Isaiah Hurt, Noah Jarrell, Ethan Lyons, Jay McNamee, Joshua Perry, Isaac Ratliff, Isaac Riffe, Cameron Roberts, Nick Samples, Dylan Thompson, Rylan Wallace, Sam Wright



Sixth Grade Team: Blake Birchfield, Isaiah Coleman, Gage Conn, James Cooley, Eli Frazier, Mason Hardin, Wade Hensley, Heath Jerrell, Ricardo Perez, Luke Ray, Logan Reed, Grant Scott, Riley Thompson, Carson Wright

Little League Basketball

Fourth-Sixth Grade White Team: McKenzie Blankenship, Kennedy Thacker, Riley Theiss, Emma Hopkins, Ella Allen, Caroline Brown, Rylee Baker, Cate Salyers, Madison Adkins

Fourth-Sixth Grade White Team: Carter Justice, Tyson Spurlock, Nick Samples, Ethan Dotson, Brady McCown, Peyton Campbell, Caden Thacker

Fourth-Sixth Grade Gray Team: Isaiah Hurt, Brayden Reed, Logan Reed, Blake McGuire, Jacob Parker, Andrew Deskins, Carter Hamilton, Josh Varney

Second/Third Grade Gray Team: Sophia Woods, Raven Jones, Saddie Elswick, Darian Slone, Addison Whitfield, Ashlyn Wallace, Jaicee Taylor, Sarah Justice, Maggie Baird, Isabella Hall, Paislee Coleman, Korbyn Williams

Second/Third Grade Green Team: Ashton Adkins, Brayden Branham, Dakota Gillespie, Elijah Hall, Cort Noud, Noah Raleigh, Cole Slone, Rick Slone

Second/Third Grade Maroon Team: Ian Blackburn, Micah Carr, Charles Drage, Seth Hall, Preston Hamilton, TK Kidd, Jackson Lucas, Jacob Lucas, Zaiden Worrix

"All kids need is a little help, a little hope and somebody who believes in them." - Magic Johnson

Second/Third Grade White Team: Caden Ratliff, Ian Justice, Jayden Muncy, Blake Anderson, Jamari Skinner, Kaden Thomas, Gavin Deskins, Henry McNamee

Fourth-Sixth Grade Black Team: Isaiah Coleman, Trey Hancock, Jackson Mullins, Colin Keene, Coleton Thacker, Rylan Wallace, Brady Coleman, Gaige Conn

Fourth-Sixth Grade Gray Team: Isabella Mulkey, Isabella Stone, Nilou Vazii, Brianna Bowling, Gracey Wooten, Ginna Jones, Trinity Rowe, Leighan Jackson, Shana Ray

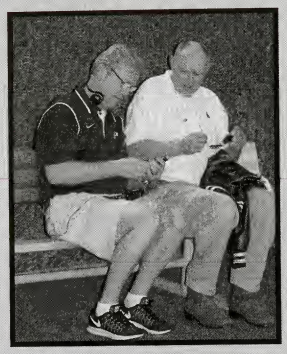
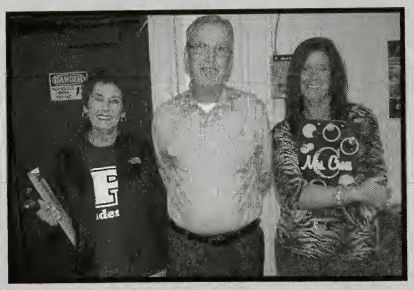
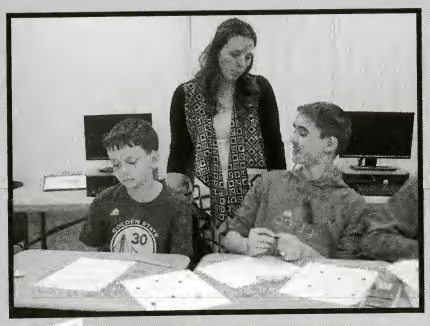
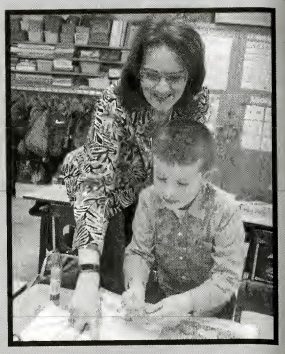
Second/Third Grade Black Team: Adam Coleman, Cooper Keene, Jeremiah Goble, Jesse Baird, Ethan Hamilton, Zac McCoy, Will Compton, Tristan Lopez

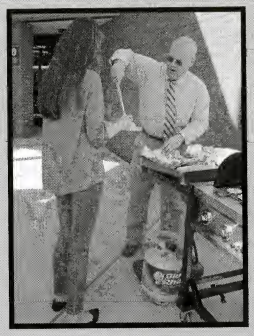
Fourth-Sixth Grade Maroon Team: Alexis Coleman, Macey Wright, Hannah Hopkins, Bella Hunt, Ella Lockhart, Reece Patton, Zoey Ratliff, Larren Collins

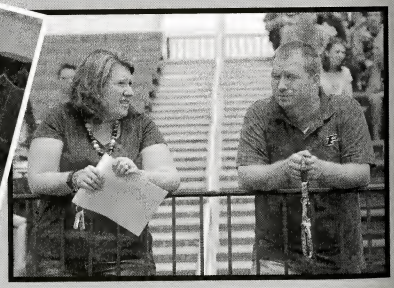
Second/Third Grade Black Team: Lindy Gearheart, Catherine Walters, Jenna Sammons, Brylee Tackett, Erin Justice, Emily Werth, Alexis Akers, Michaela Braxton, Kyla Lee, Sheridan Norman, Kiara Robinson

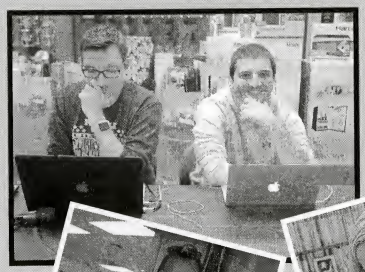
"The will to succeed is important but what's more important is the will to prepare." - Bobby Knight

Administration/ Faculty/Staff







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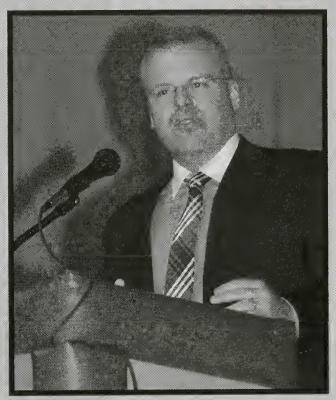

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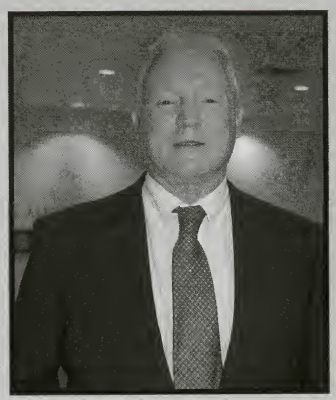

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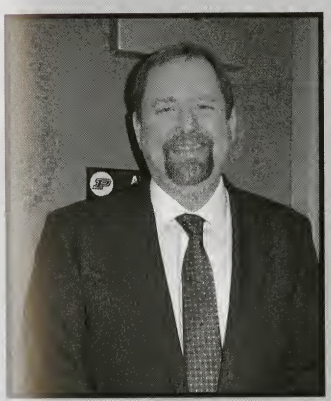

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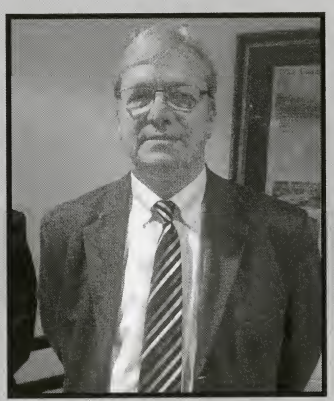

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Elementary Principal

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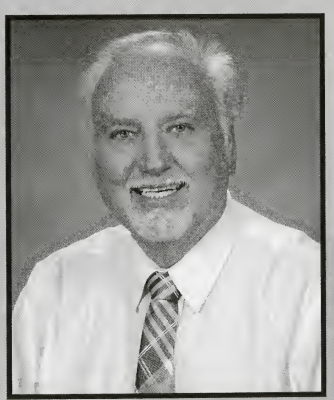
High School Assistant
Principal/Athletic
Director



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Ashley Adams
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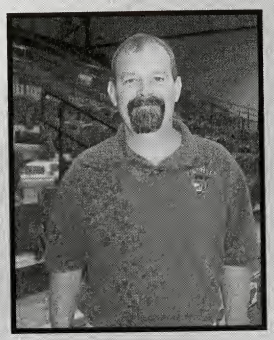


Donnie Adkins
Instruc. Assistant

Sherella Akers
Central Office Sec.

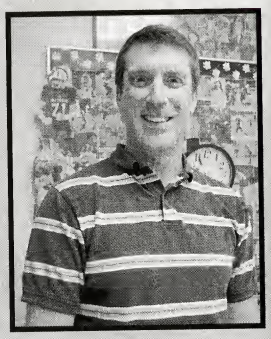
Cafeteria Staff (from left) Marilyn Taylor, Jill Hunt, Natalie Thomas, Noleka Hunter, Elizabeth Perry, Janice Polley, Kristy Orem, director; Shelia Stump

Tom Asbury
History

Lori Ballou
Special Education

Jeanette Belcher
Math

Vivian Bentley
Bookkeeper



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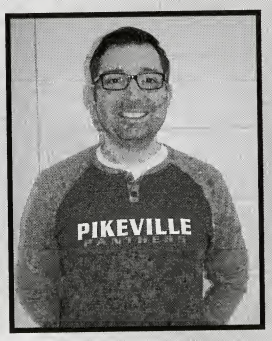
Wind Band

Traci Bishop
7th Grade English



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Lois Blackburn
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Sarah Blackburn
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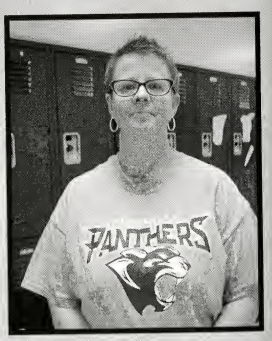

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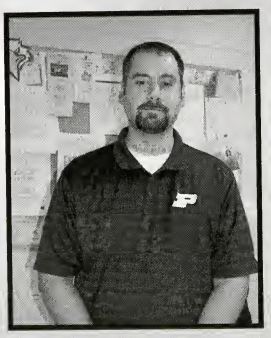

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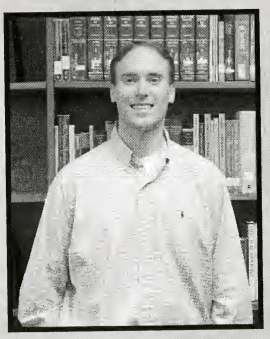
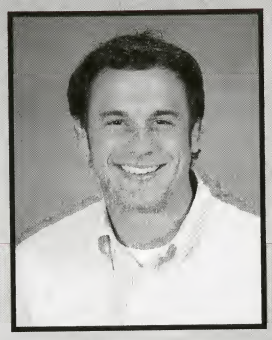


Lukas Burchett
Aide to Librarian

Liza Burke
Maintenance

Denise Clark
Finance Officer



Adam Collins
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Laura Cooley
Social Studies

Ashley Estep
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Susan Huffman
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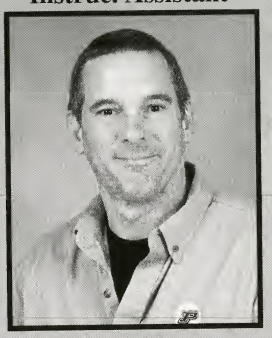

Shane Hurt
Dir., Maintenance

Bambi Johnson
Art

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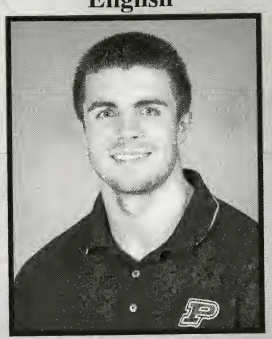

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Youth Services

Jonah Justice
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Susan Kennon
Science

Rebecca King
English

Sherry Lane
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Tina Leisure
Spanish

Jeff Little
Computer Apps

Emily Lucas
Math

Denise McCoy
Nurse

Chris McNamee
Dir., Transportation
Jeri McNamee
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Kristy Orem
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Mary Anne Prater
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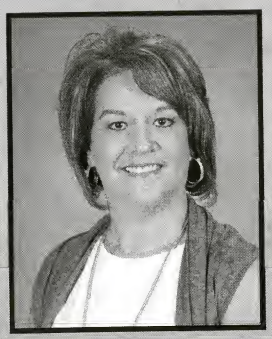

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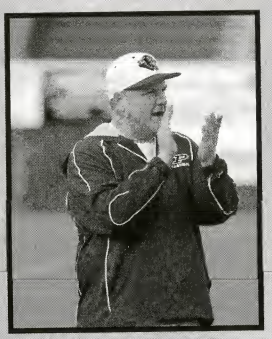


Steve Priode
P.E./Health

Cristi Rhodes
Guidance Sec.

Candi Roberts
7th Grade History

Kelly Scott
Science

Michelle Scott
7th Grade Math

Kathy Shurtleff
Office Manager

Ben Staggs
Instruc. Assistant

Brian Stiltner
Maintenance

Cindy Stuart
Science

Paul Sullivan
Physical Education

Traci Tackett
Gifted/Talented

Chad Taylor
Maintenance

Matt Walls
History

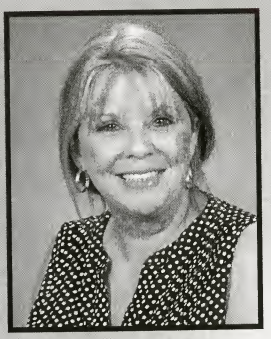
Shana Webb
8th Grade Math

Elementary Faculty/Staff

Elementary Cafeteria Staff (from left) Emma Hamilton, Carla Fields, Patricia Bevins, Marinda Watkins, Alice Rich, Kristy Orem, director; Anita Justice

Flo Adams
Instruc. Assistant

Jackie Adams
Instruc. Assistant



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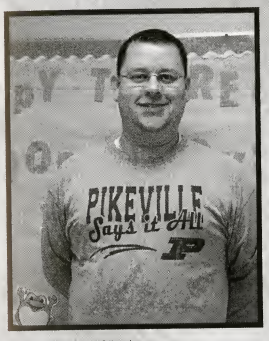

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Technology

Natasha Baird
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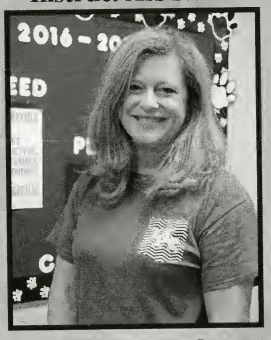

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Instruc. Assistant

Denise Branham
Reading Recovery

Amber Cantrell
Third Grade

Denean Case
Instruc. Assistant

Connie Casebolt
Librarian

Kim Chaney
Instruc. Assistant

Kim Clevinger
Fifth Grade

Jennifer Cochran
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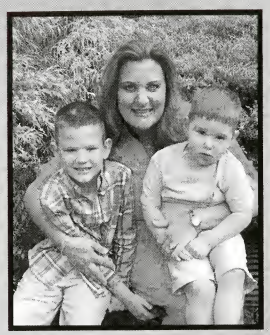
Kindergarten

Jennifer Cross
Sixth Grade

Barbara Deskins
Asst. Librarian

Kim Fields
First Grade

Julie Garris
Kindergarten



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Third Grade

Phyllis Green
Second Grade

Jatanna Hall
Sixth Grade

Tammy Hall
Kindergarten

Ashla Samples, Speech Language Pathologist; Hilary Booher, Occupational Therapist

Amanda Hartsock
Instruc. Assistant

Misty Haynes
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Tammie Hensley
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Christina Howard
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Israel Howard
Physical Education

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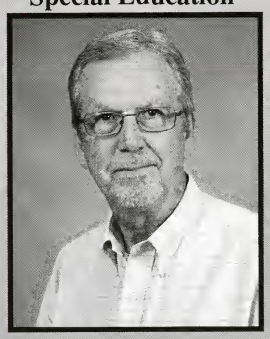
Linda Huffman
Second Grade



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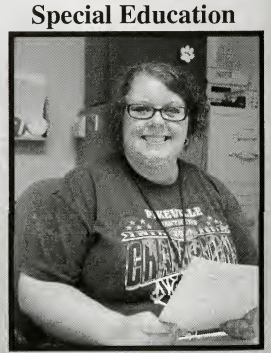

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Office Manager
Misty Ramey
Bookkeeper
Kim McPeek
Fifth Grade
Robin Mullins
Fourth Grade

Paula Petry
Fifth Grade

Kristen Potter
Fourth Grade

Paula Pugh
Art

Elisha Ratliff
Fourth Grade

Francine Ray
Second Grade

Kelli Ray
Special Education

Janice Roberts
Reading Recovery

Dawn Rowe
FRYSC Coordinator

Jonda Salyer
Third Grade

Elizabeth Salyers
First Grade

Barbara Smith
Instruc. Assistant

Kerri Snow
Technology

Markayla Stevens
Second Grade

Tina Stewart
Instruc. Assistant

Connie Tackett
Instruc. Assistant

Joanna Taylor
First Grade

Karen Thacker
First Grade

James Tucker
Instruc. Assistant

Shawnee Wells
Fifth Grade

Jennifer Whitt
Fourth Grade

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Senior Ads

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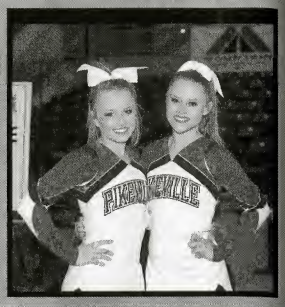
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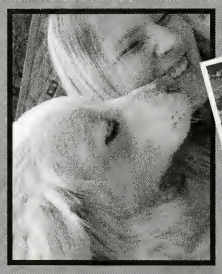
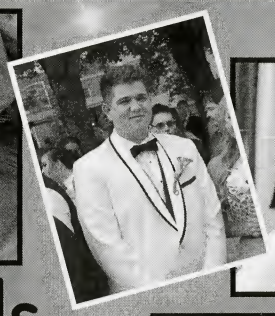

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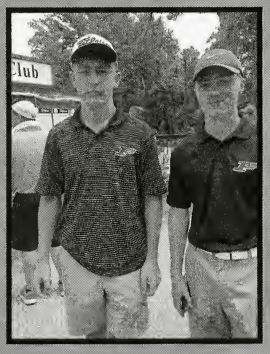

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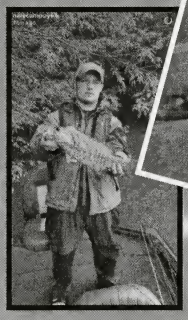

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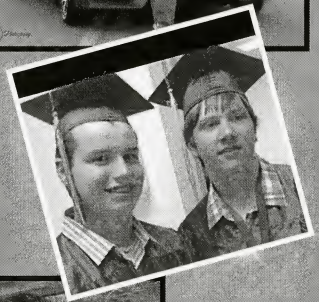

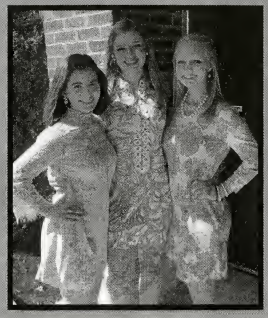

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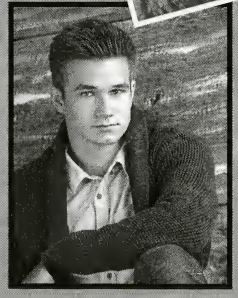
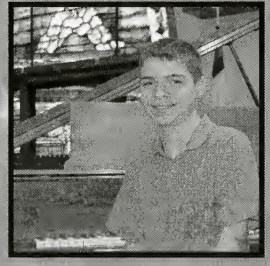

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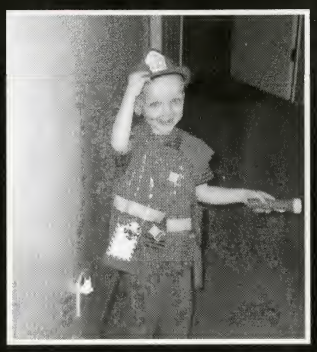
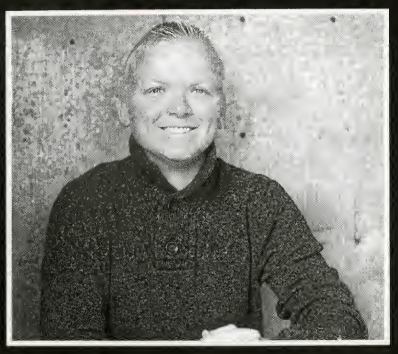
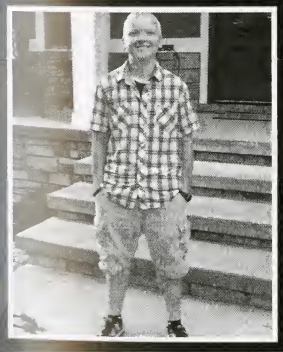
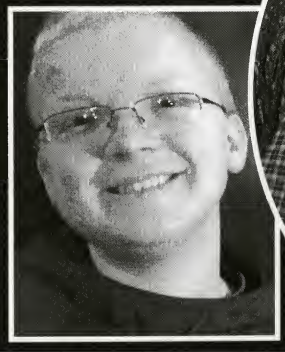
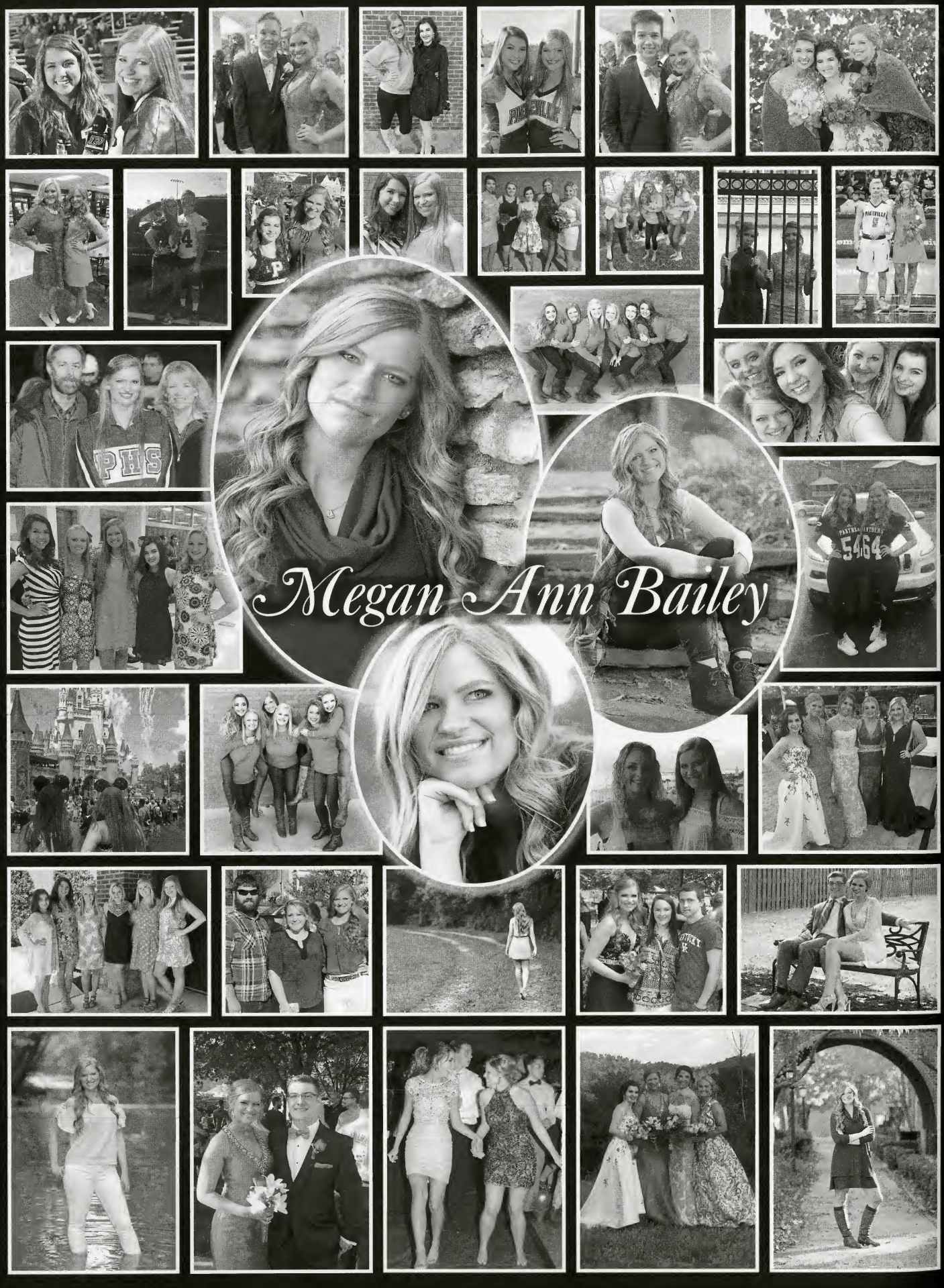








Colin - We wish you the strength to face challenges with confidence, along with the wisdom to choose your battles carefully. We wish you adventure on your journey, and may you always stop to help somebody along the way. Listen to your heart and always take risks carefully. Remember how much you are loved. We are so very proud of you!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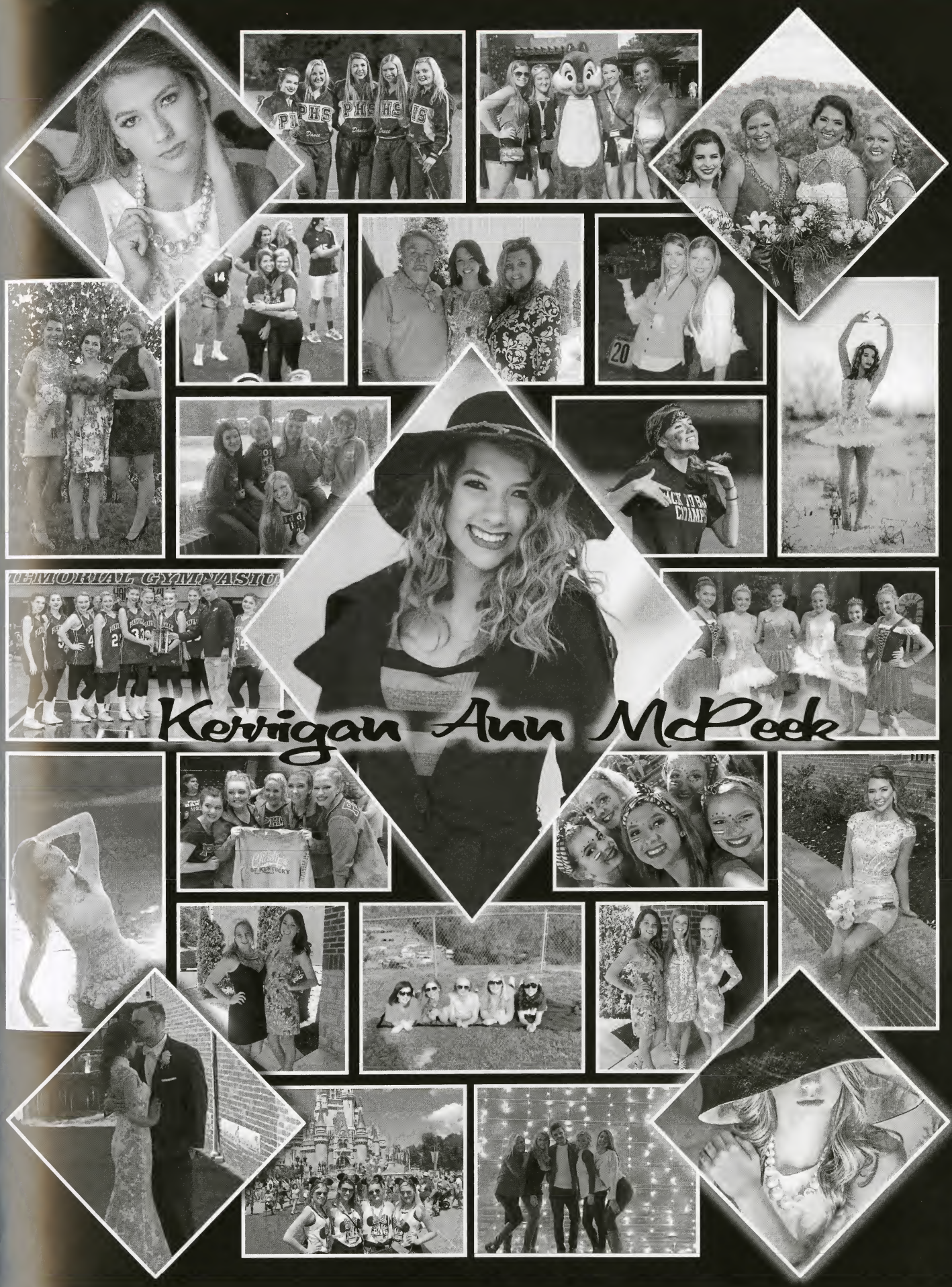
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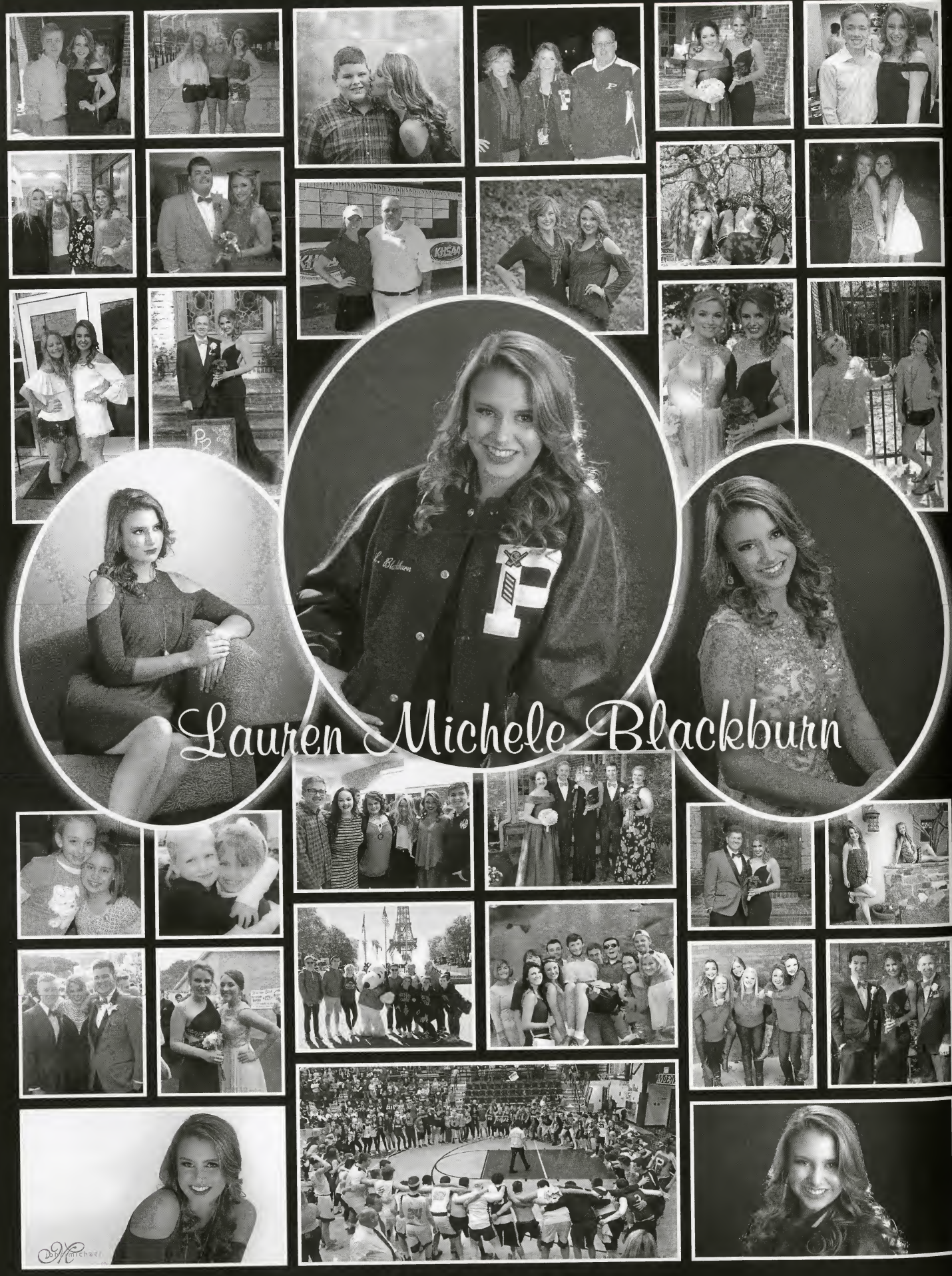
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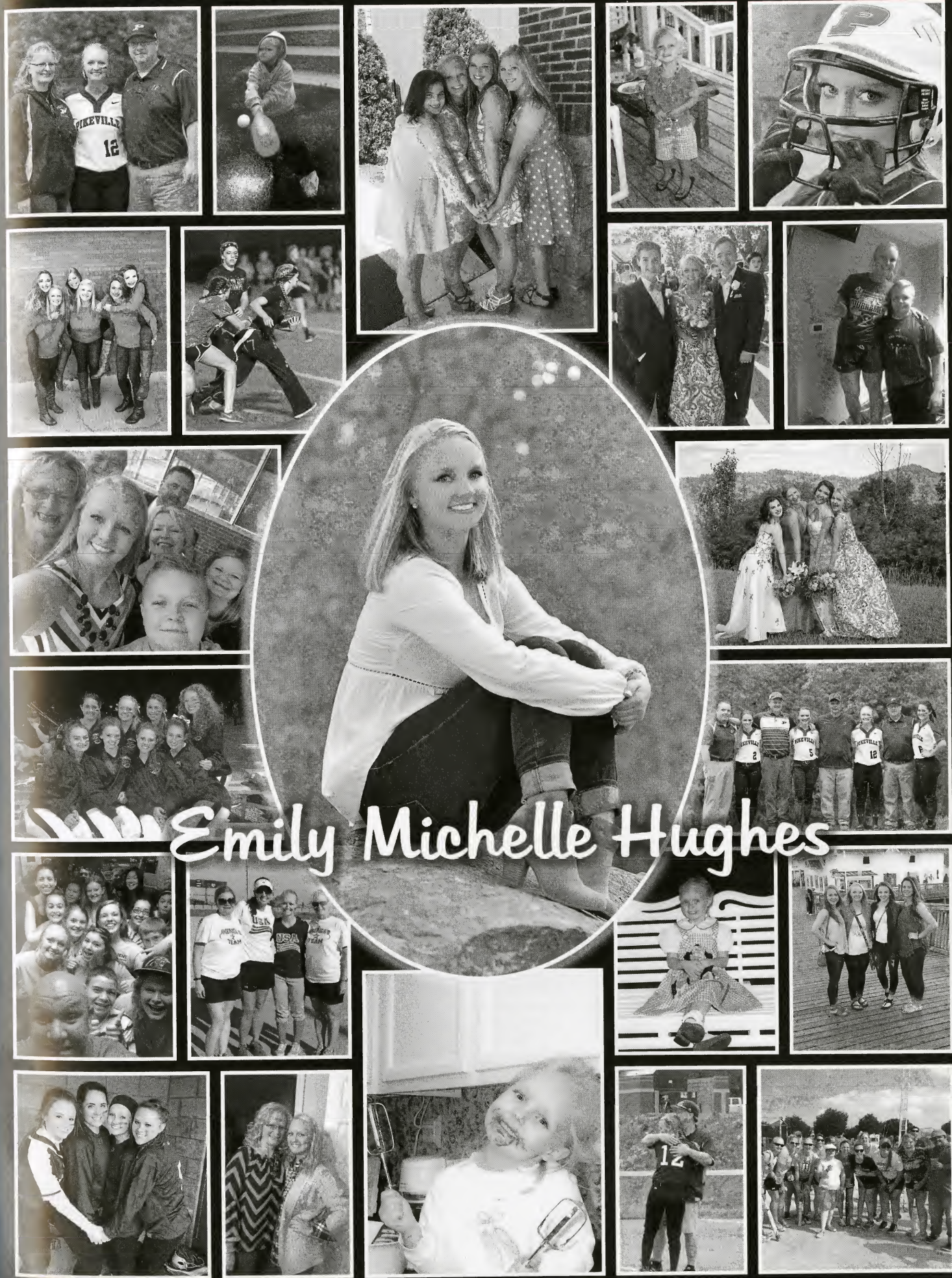
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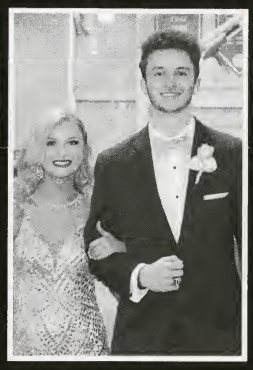
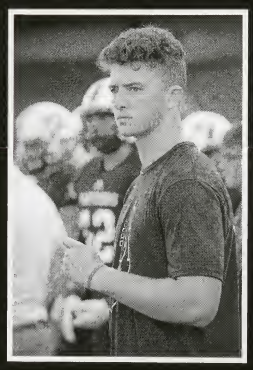

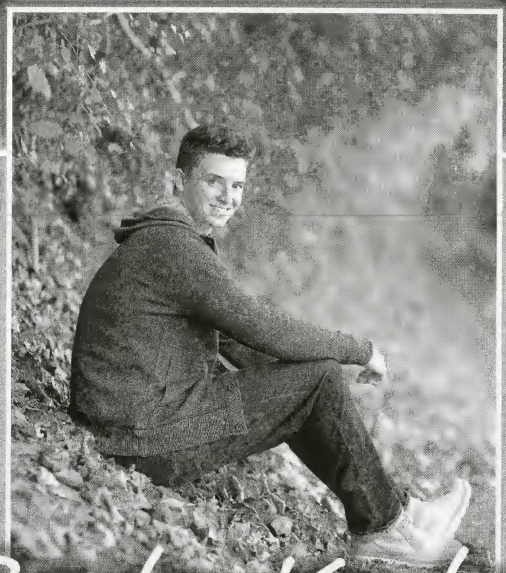
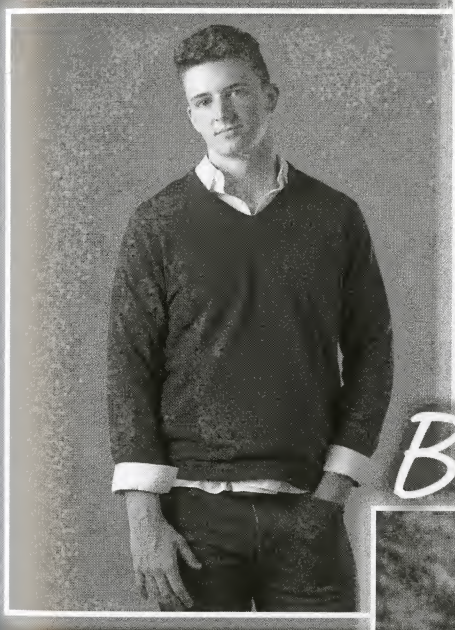
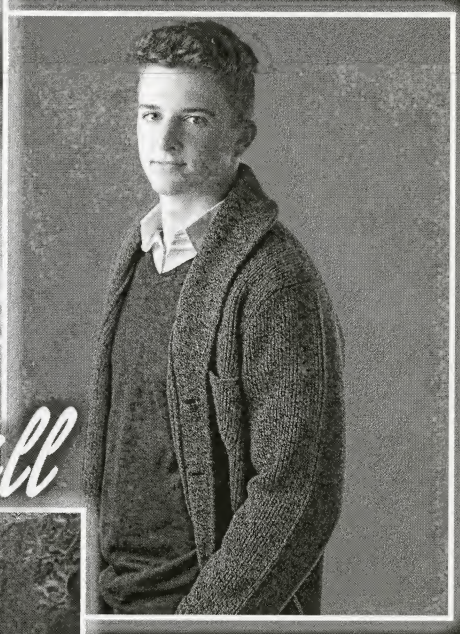
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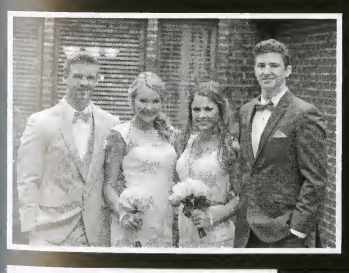

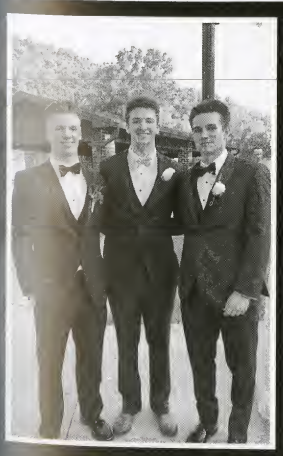

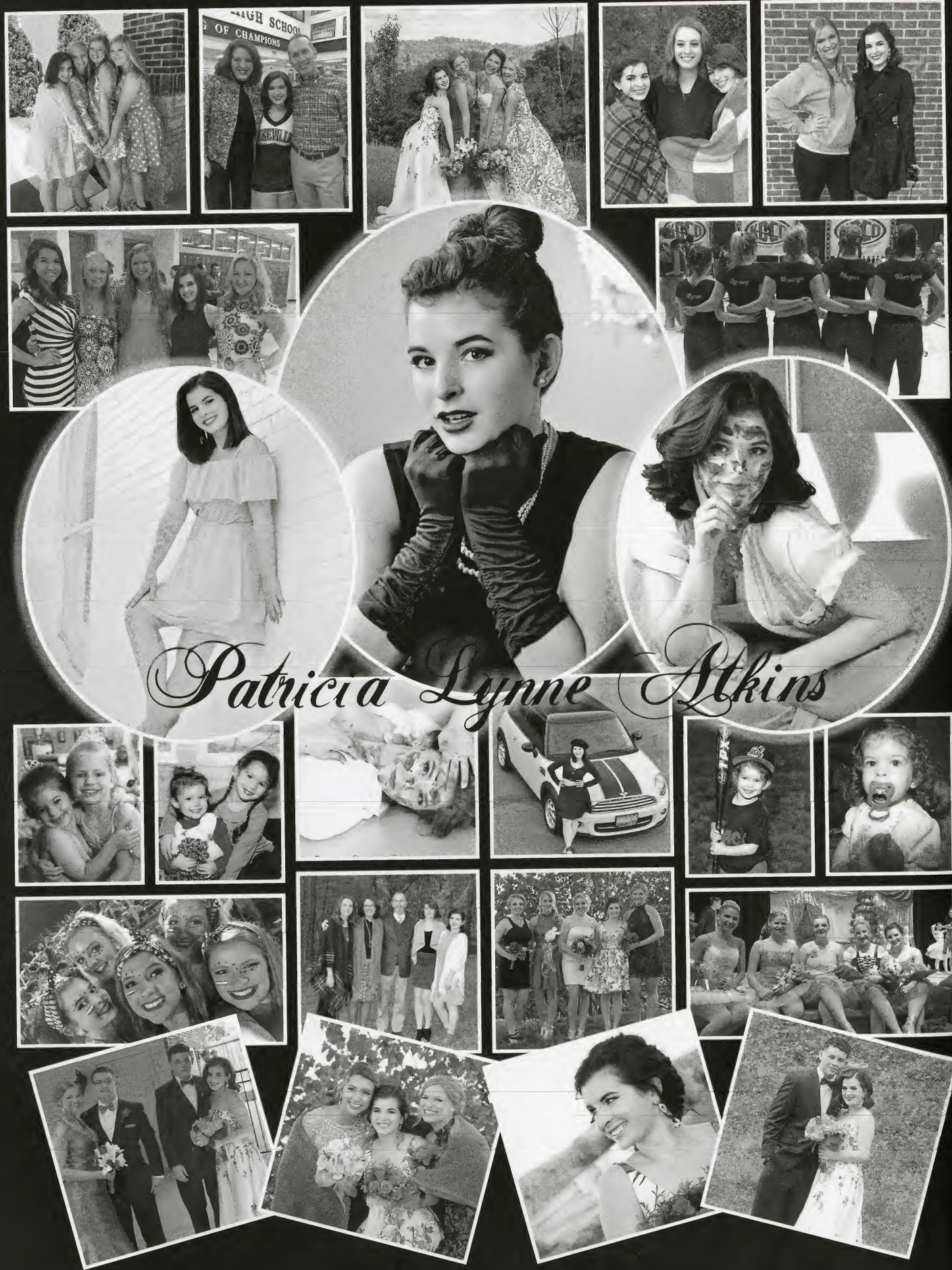
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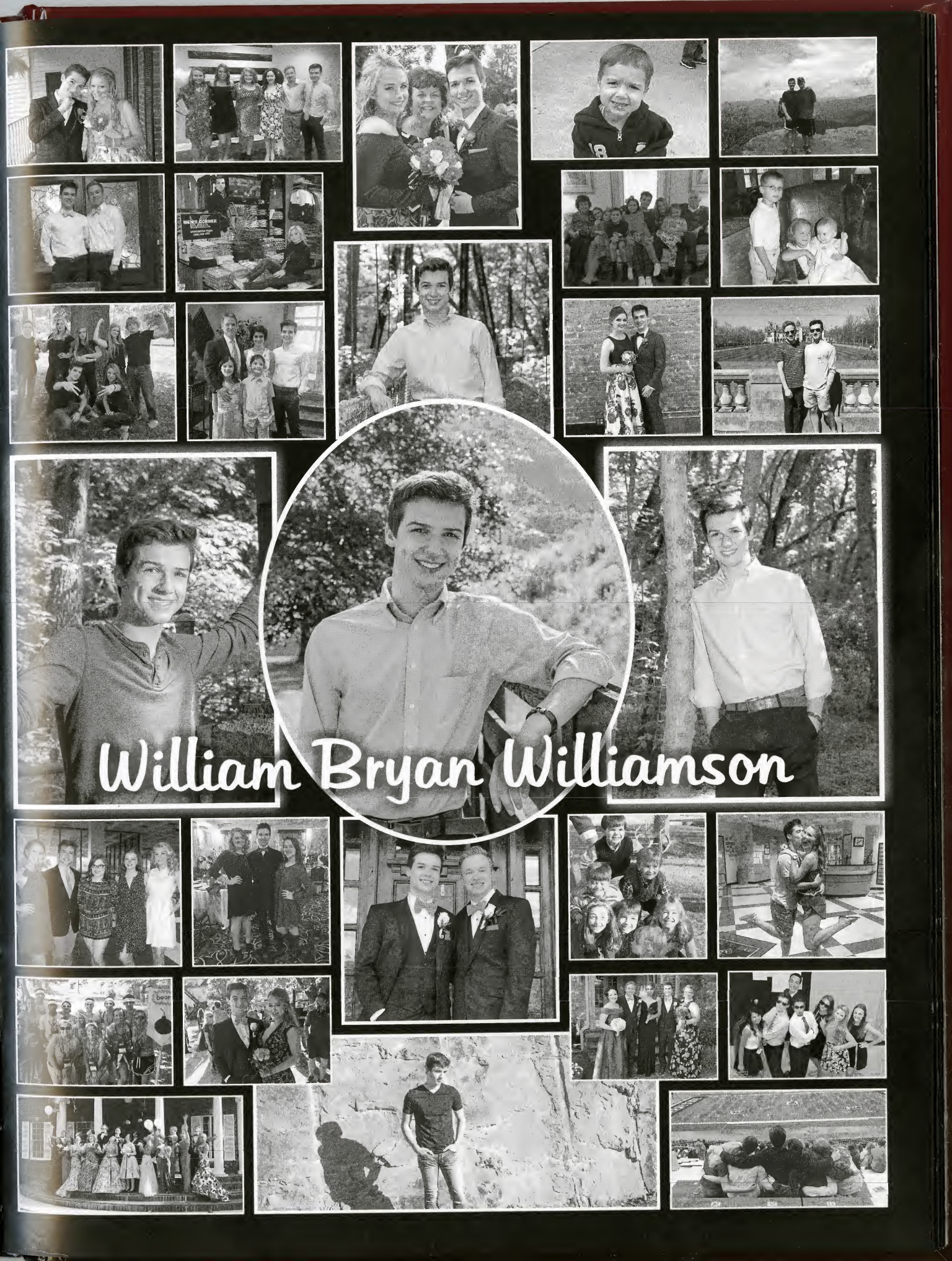
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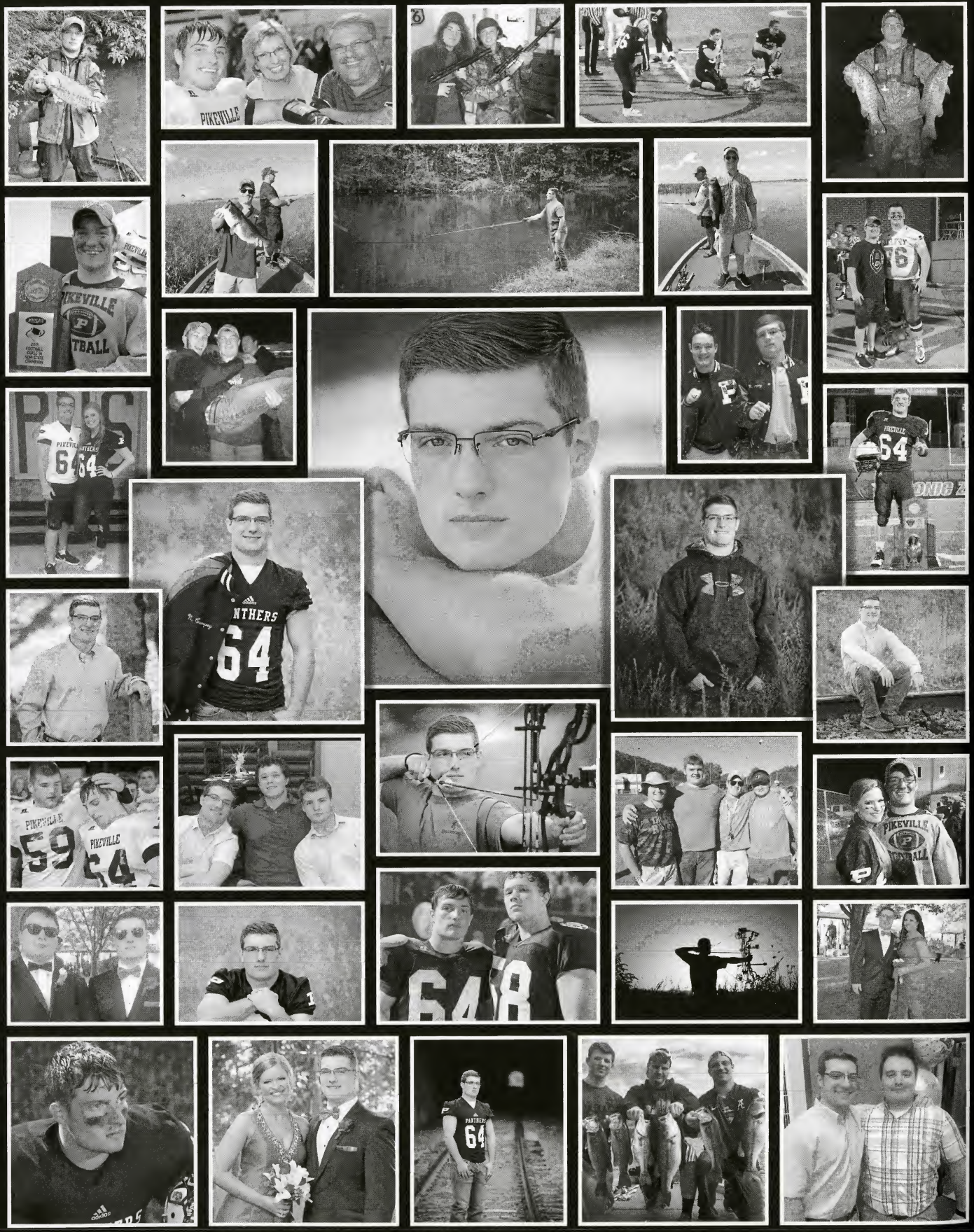

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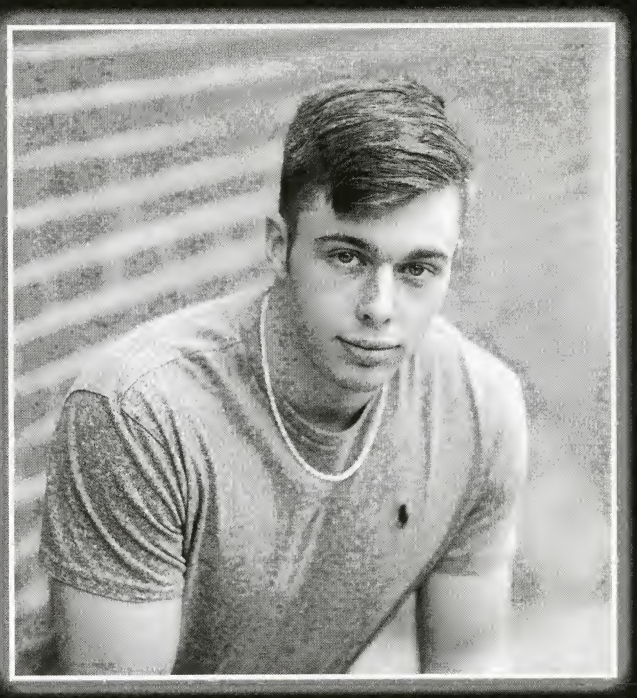
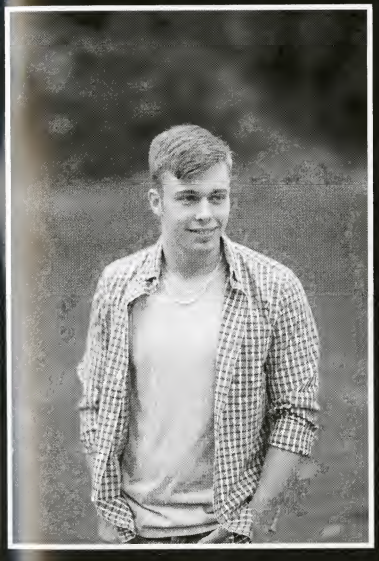
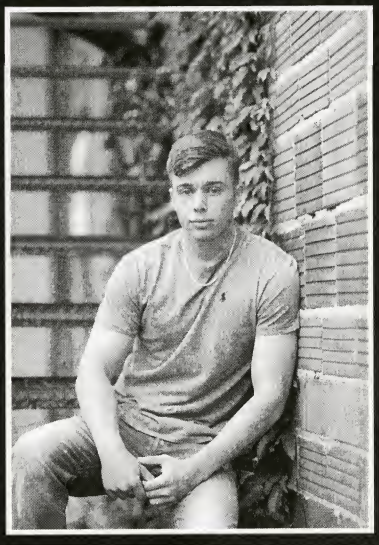

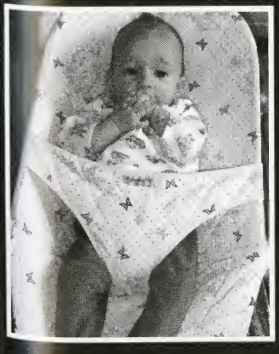

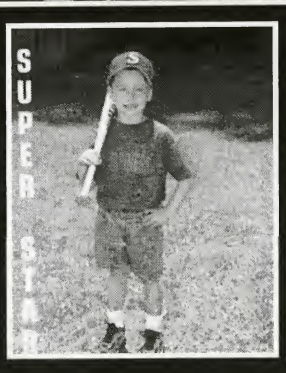

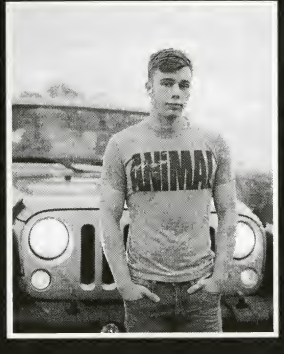

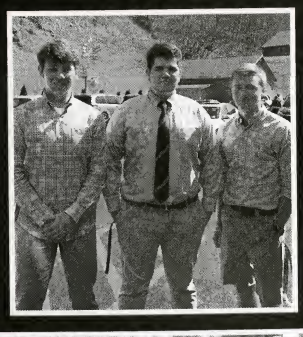

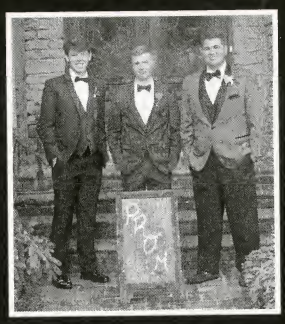

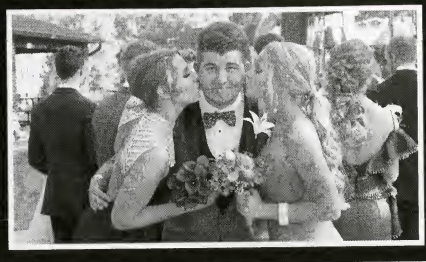

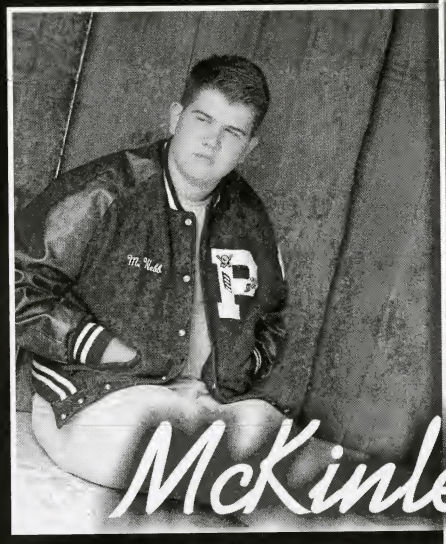
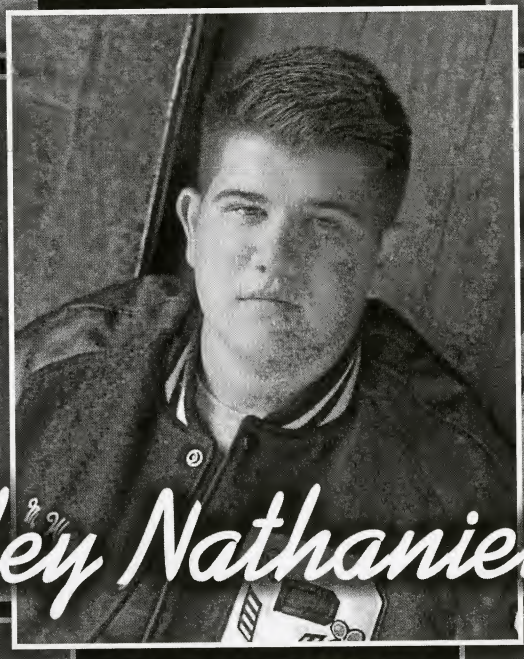
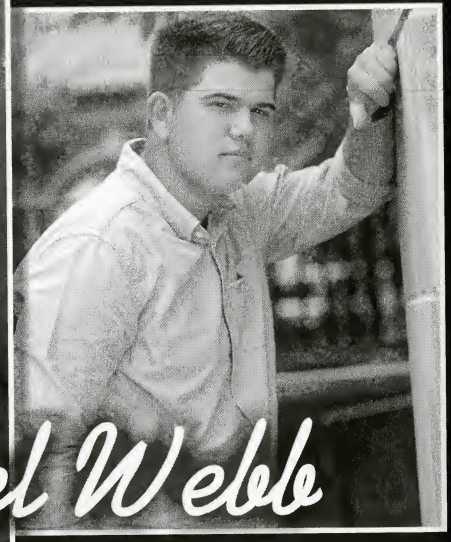
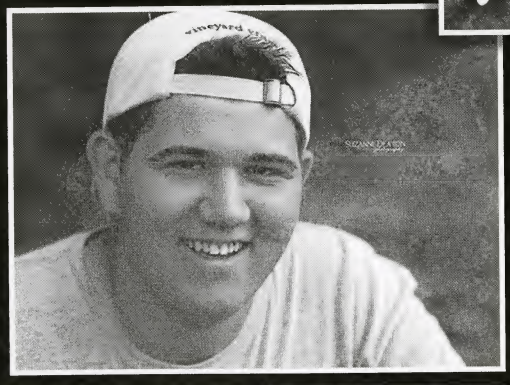
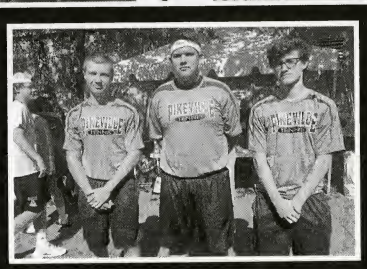

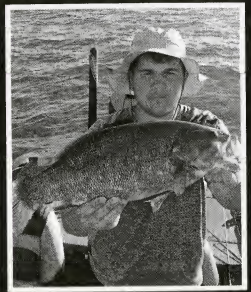

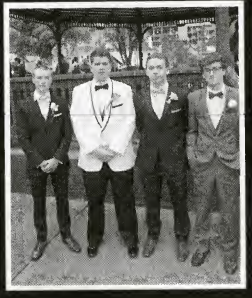
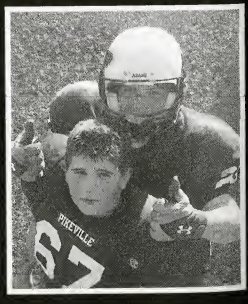

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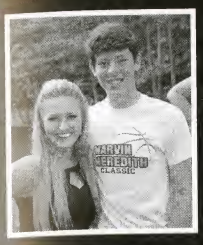

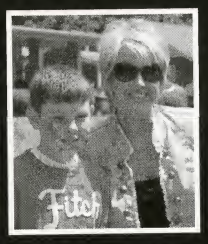

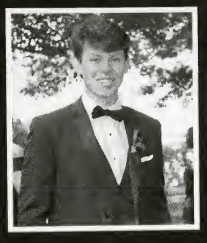

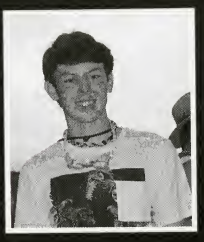
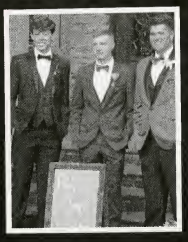

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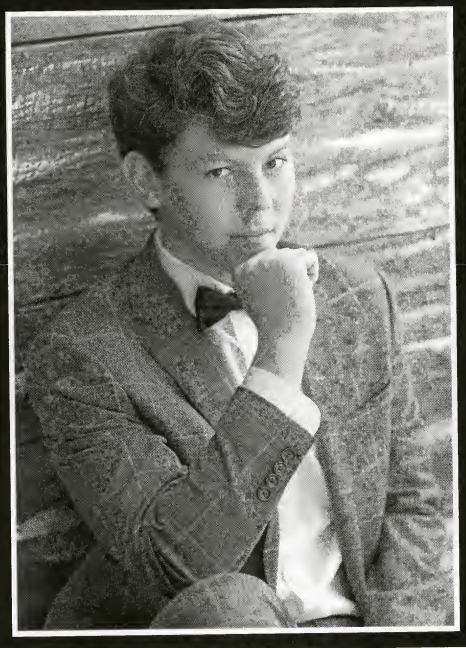

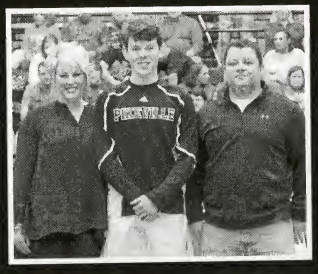

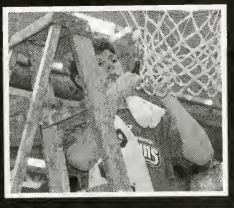
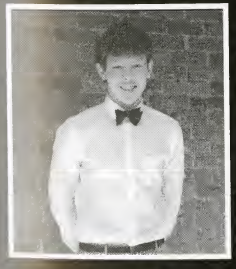

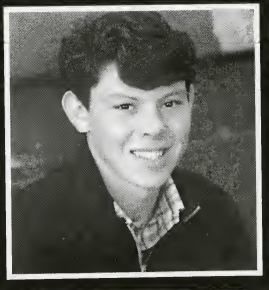

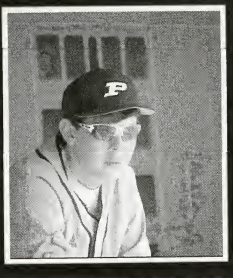

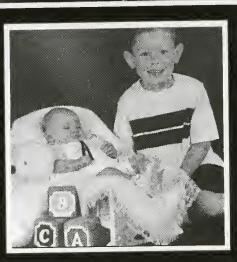

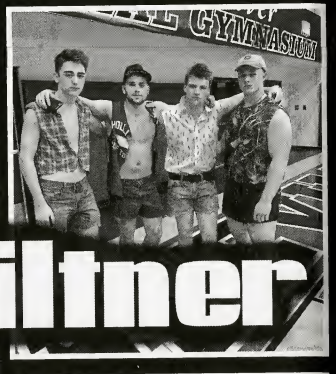

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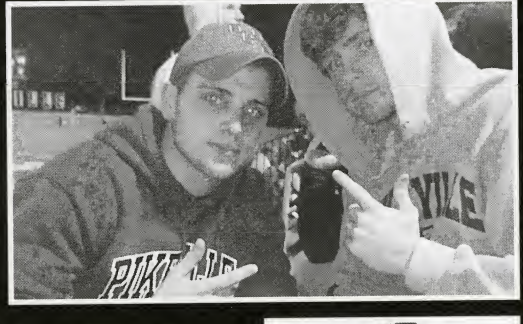

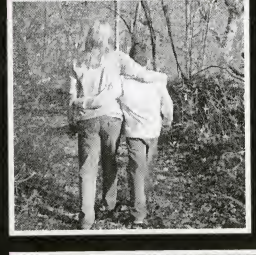

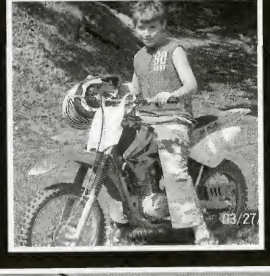

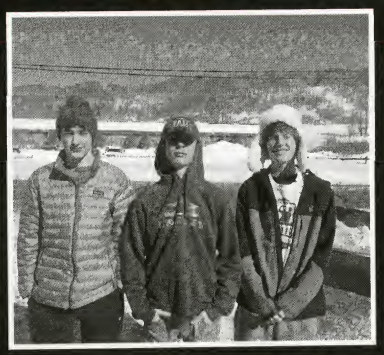

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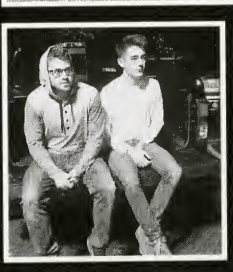

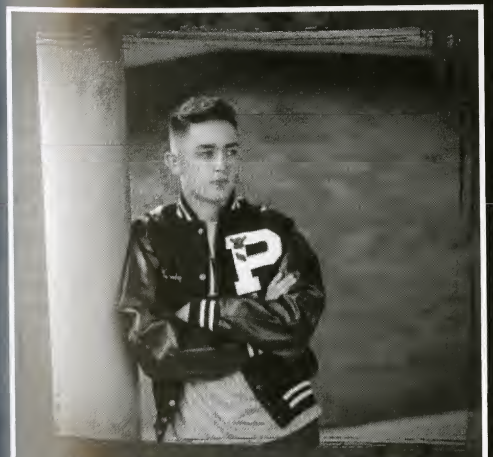
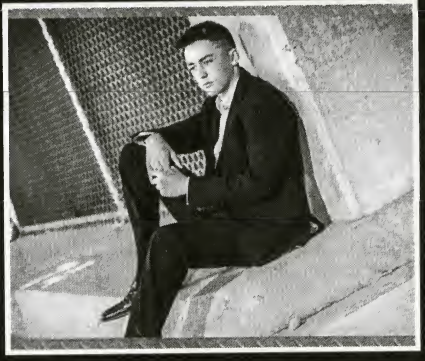
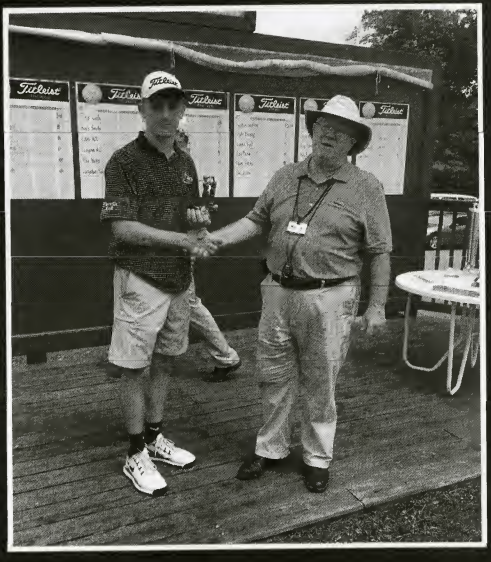

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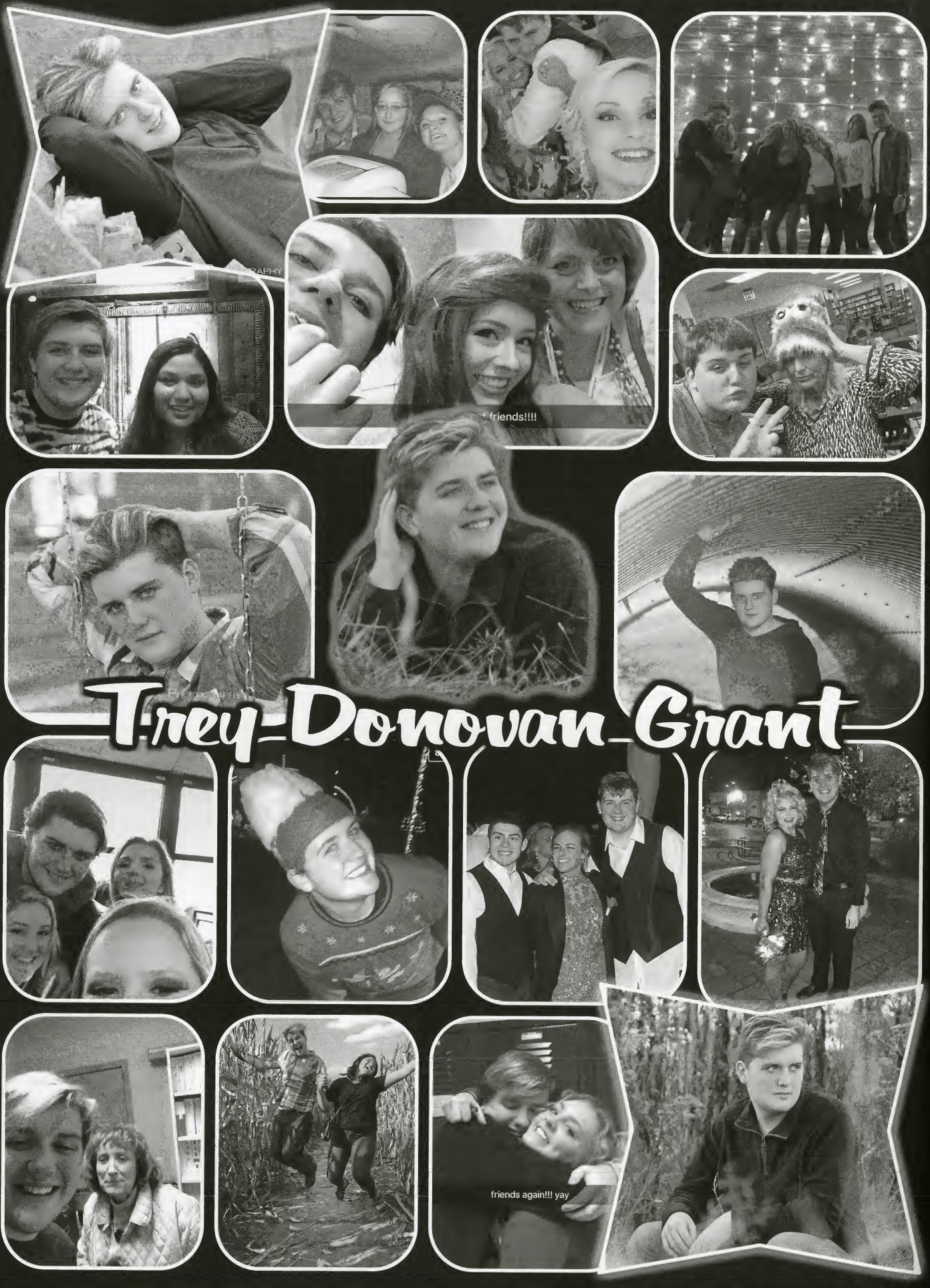

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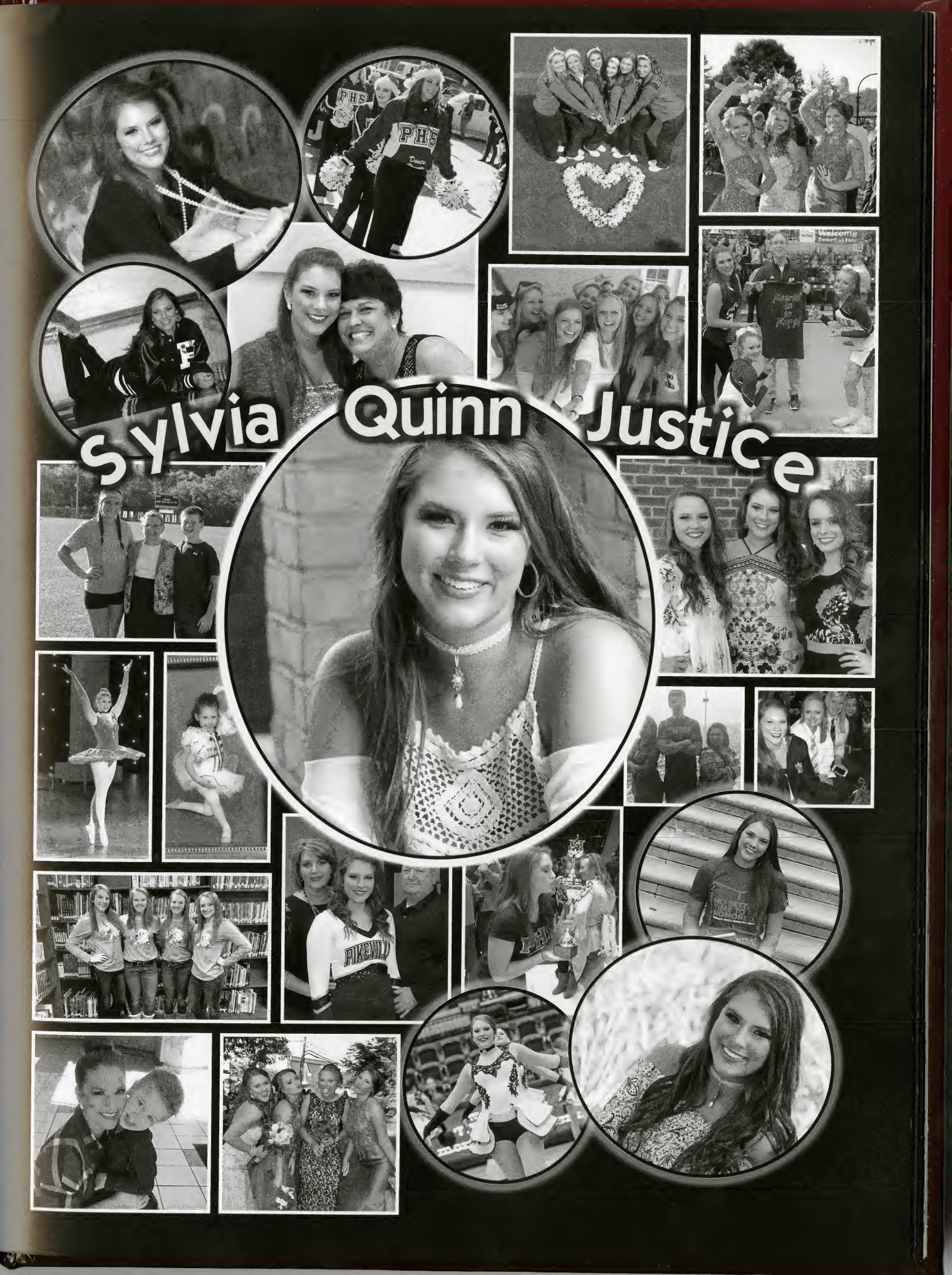
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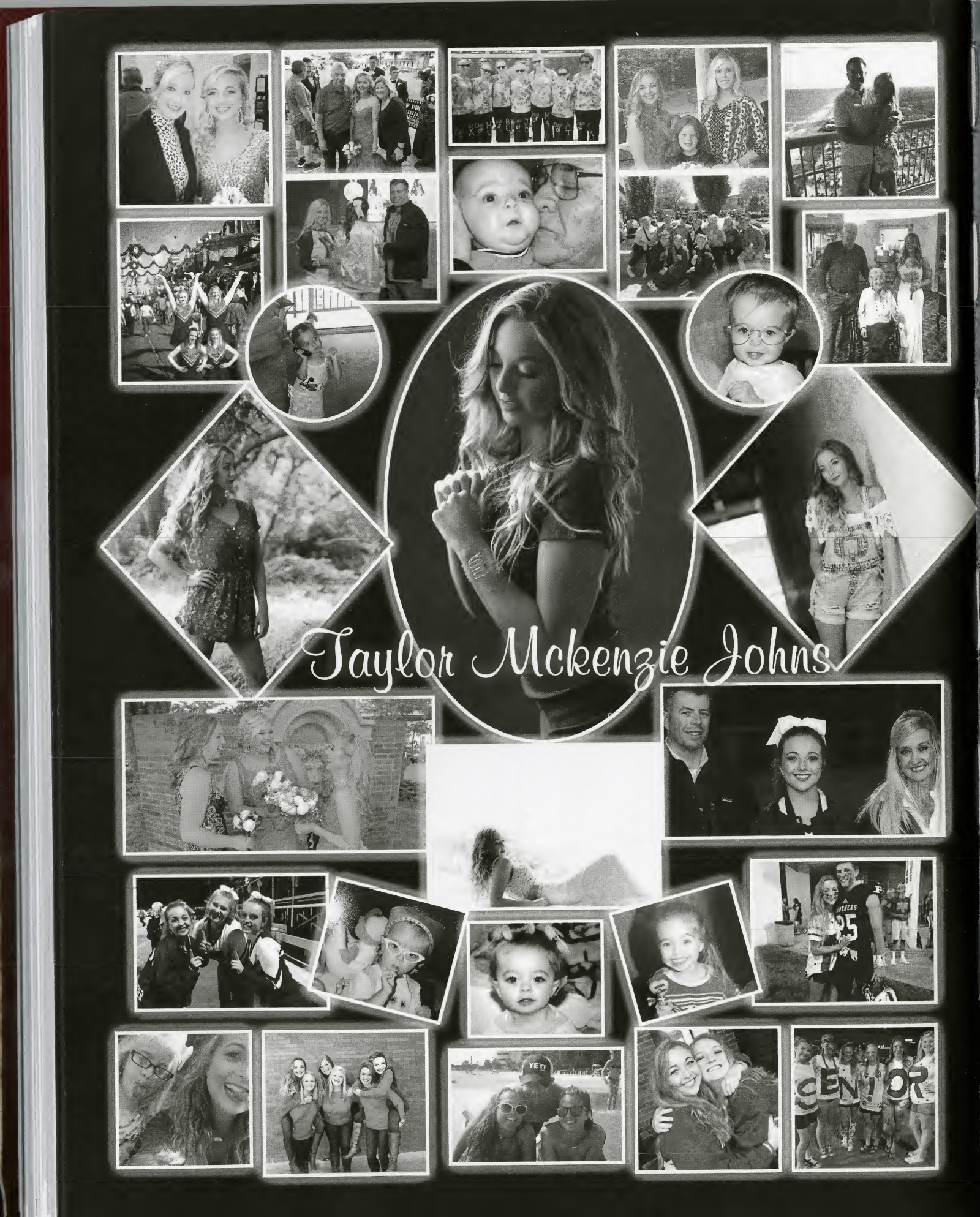
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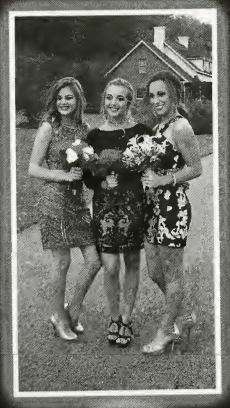
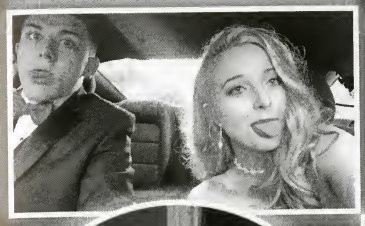

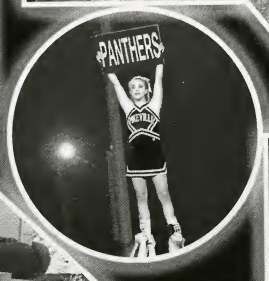
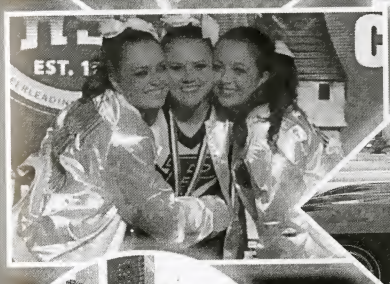

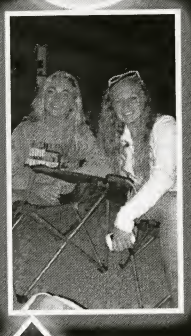

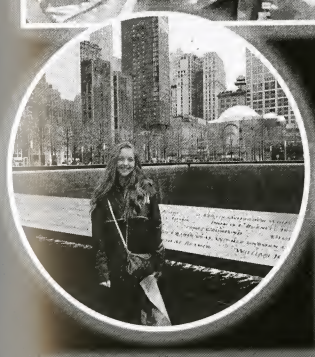

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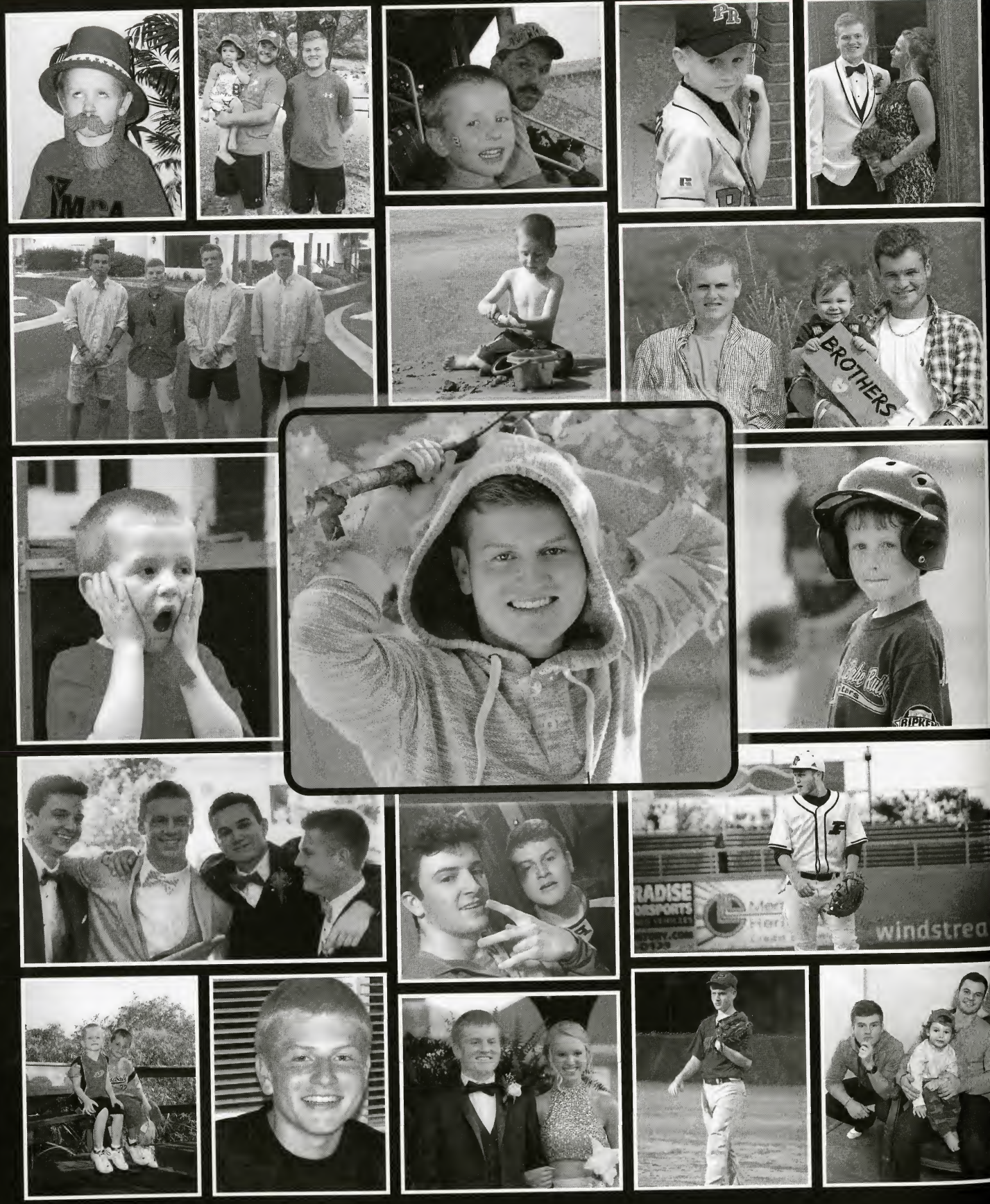

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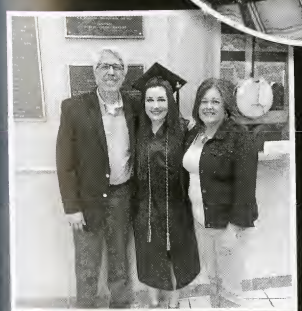

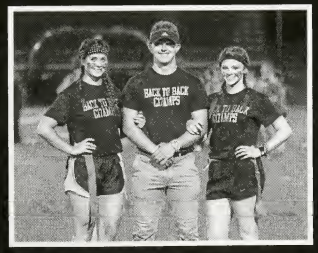

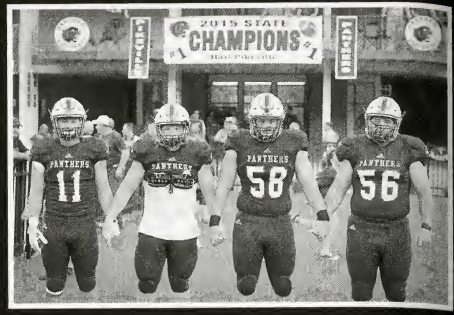
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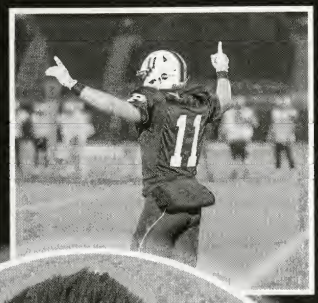

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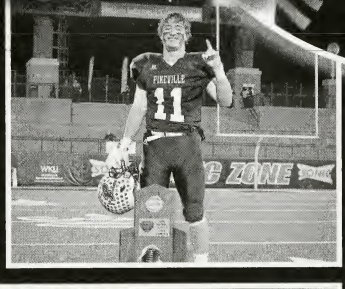
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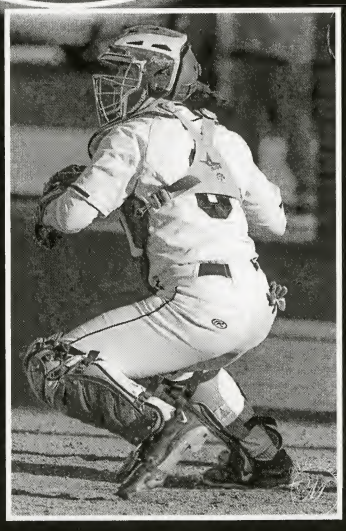

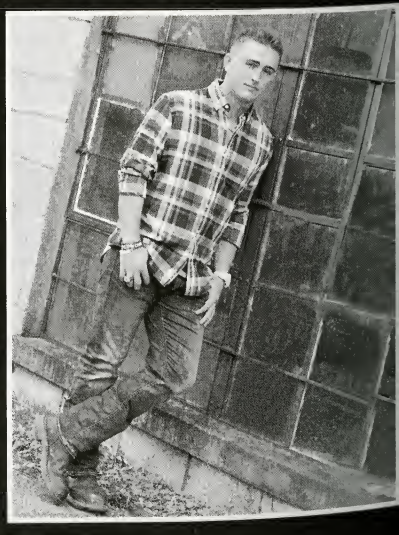

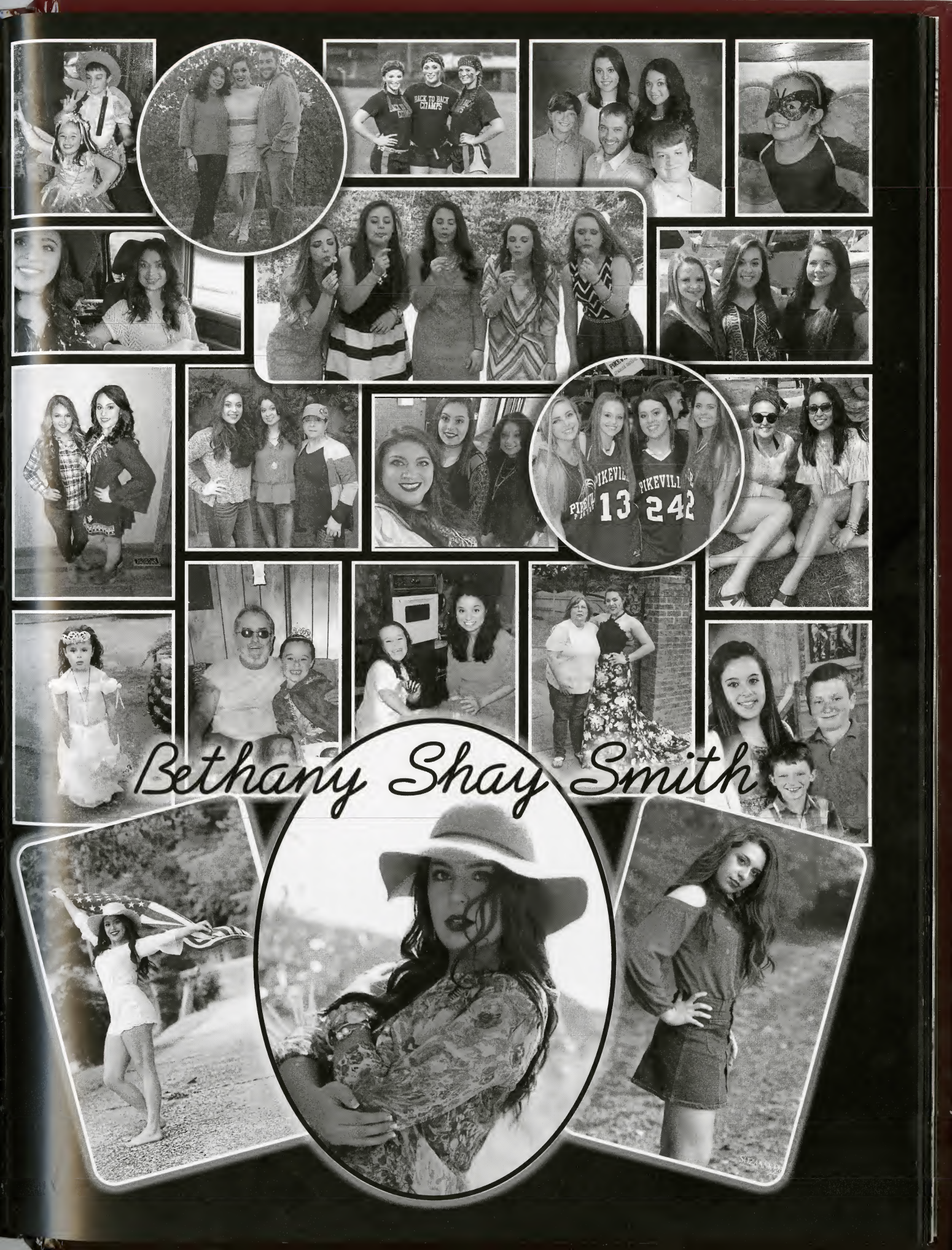
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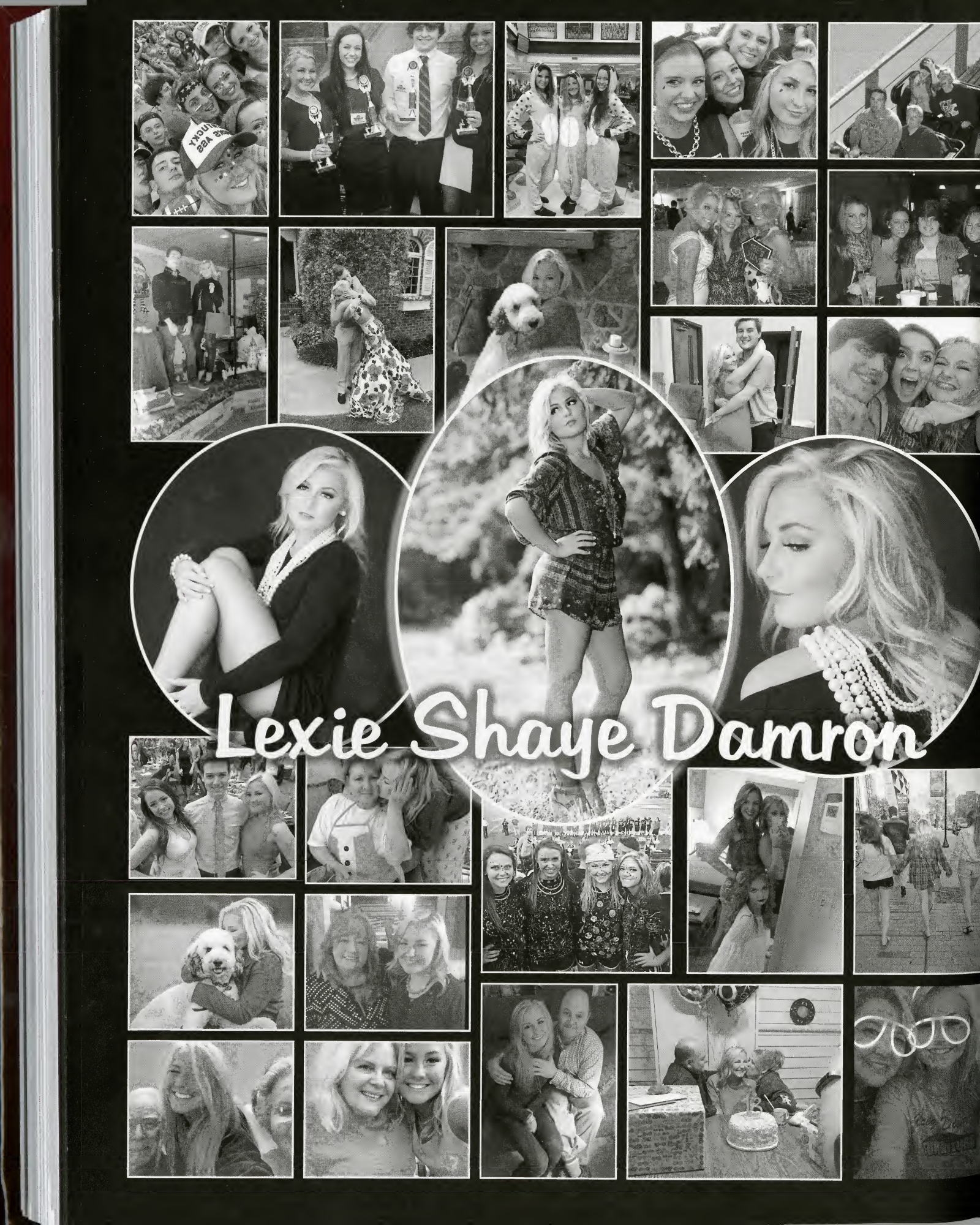
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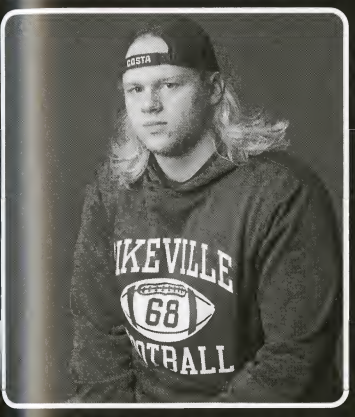

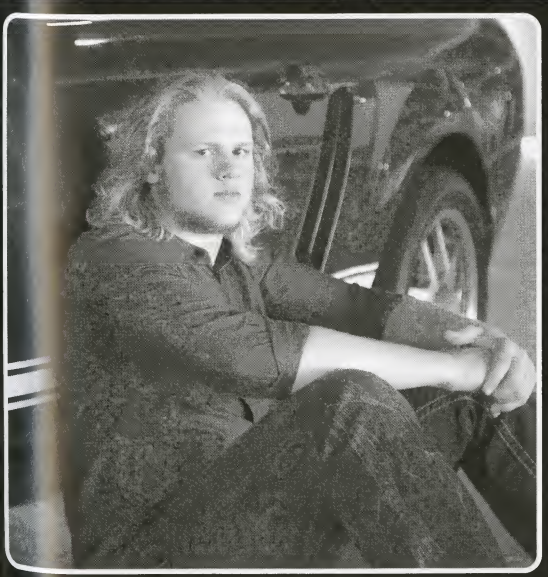

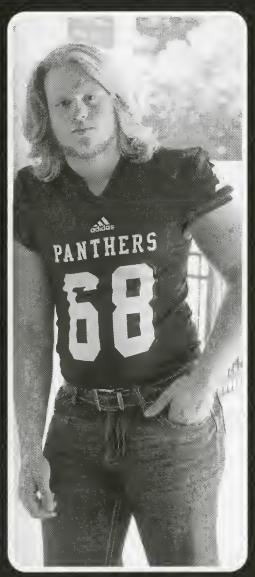

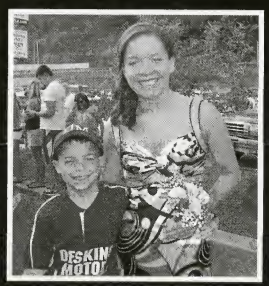

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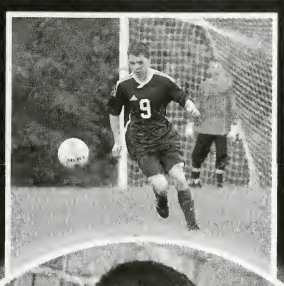

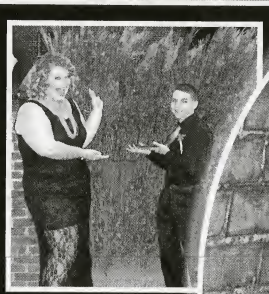
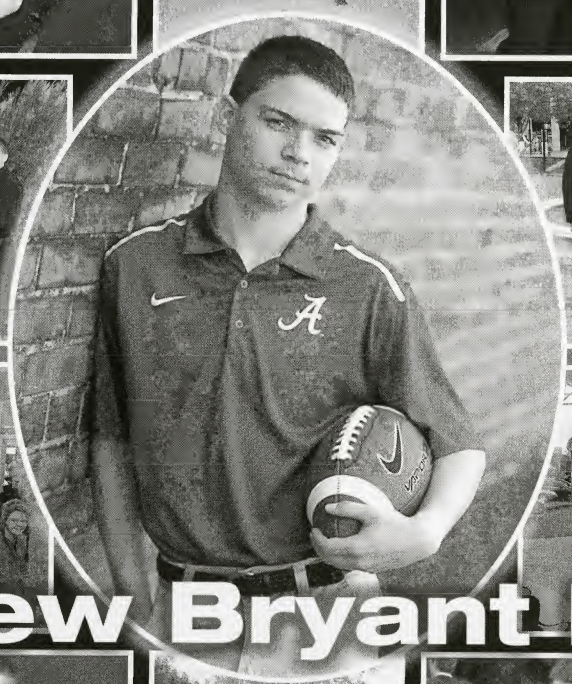
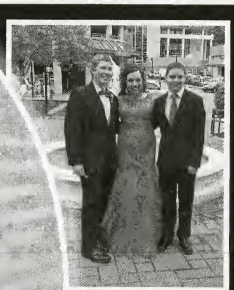
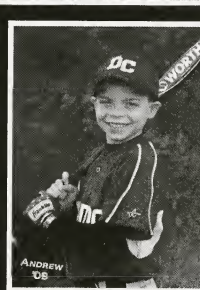
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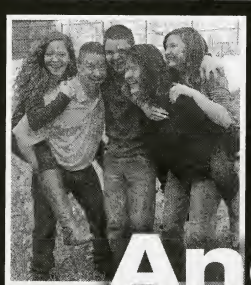

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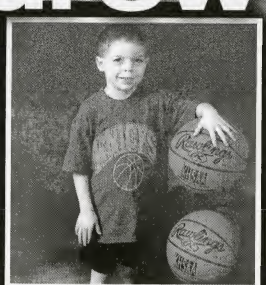
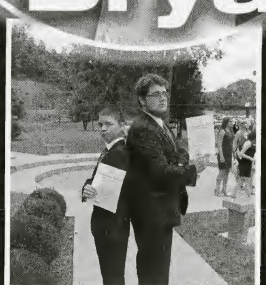
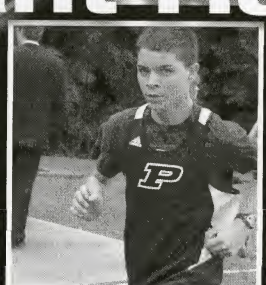
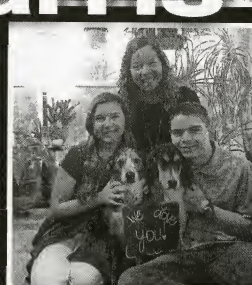

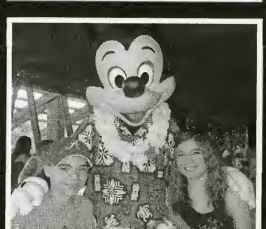

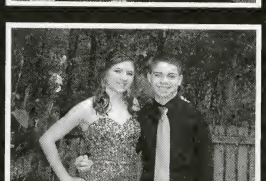

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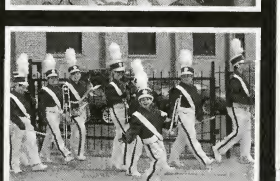

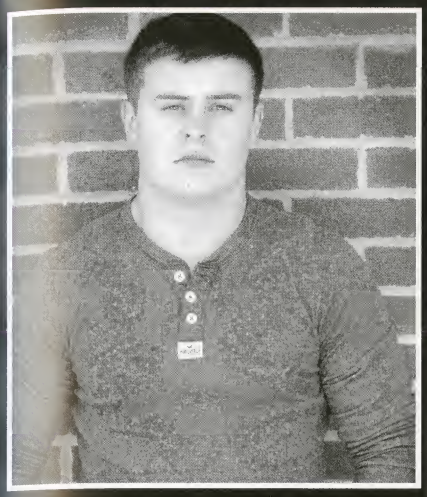

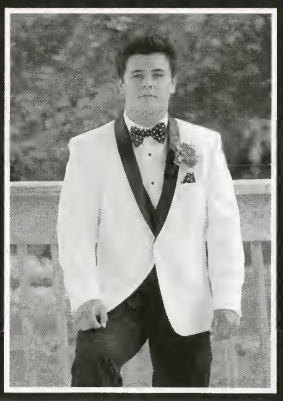
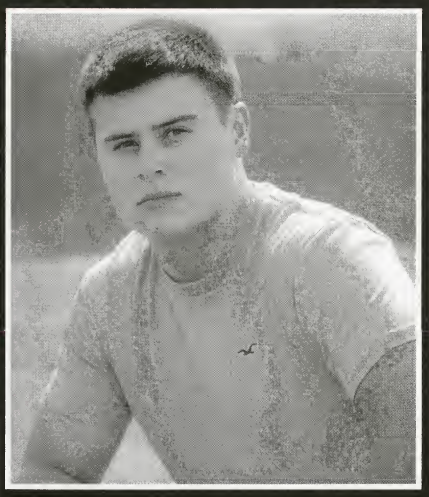

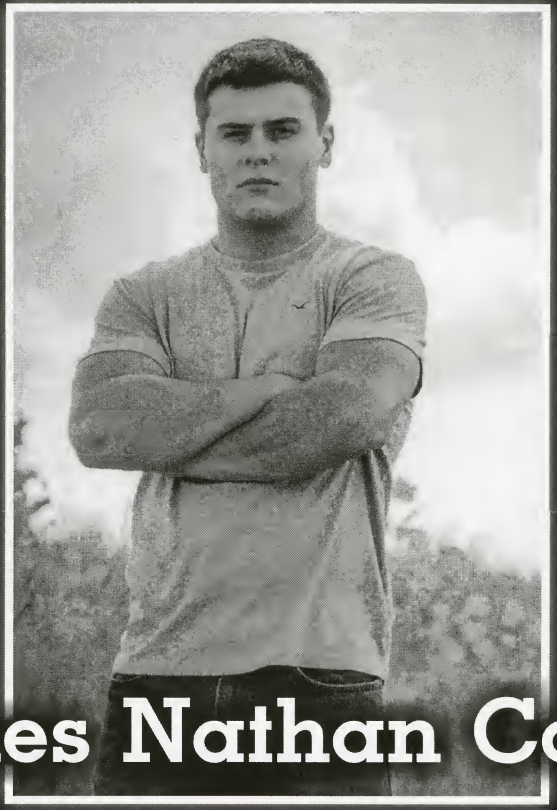

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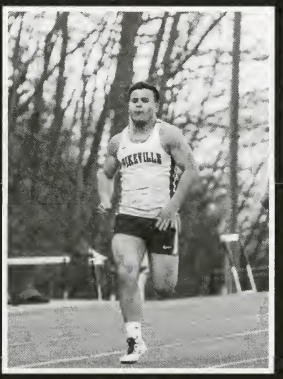

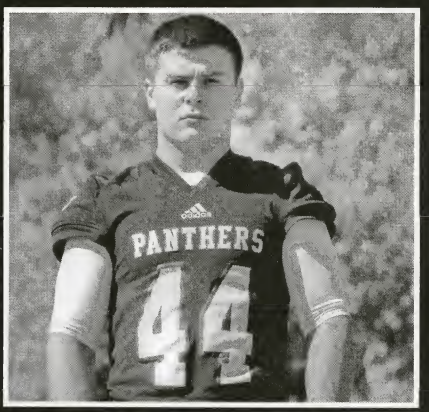

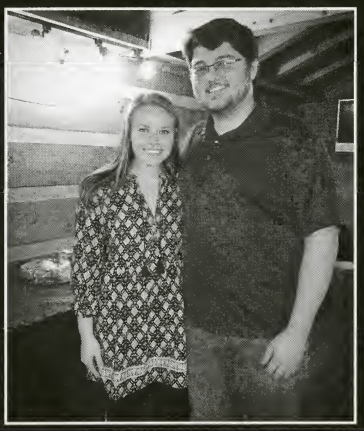

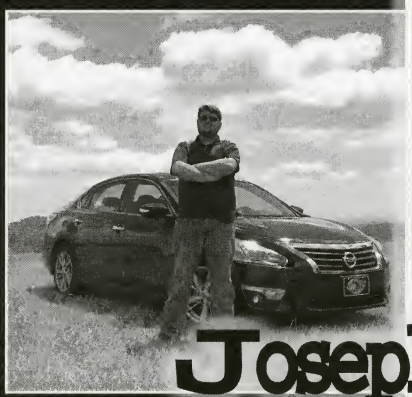

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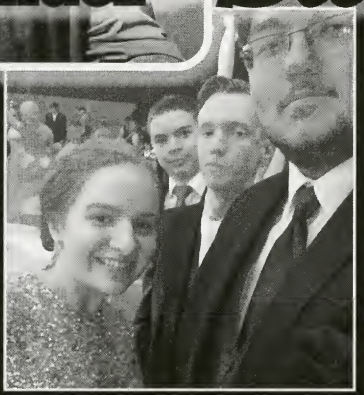

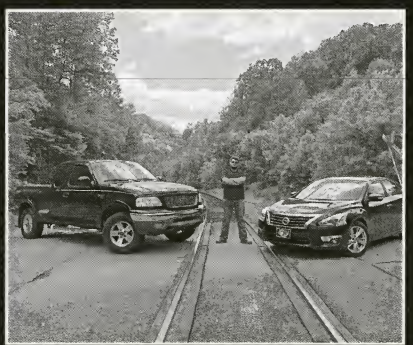

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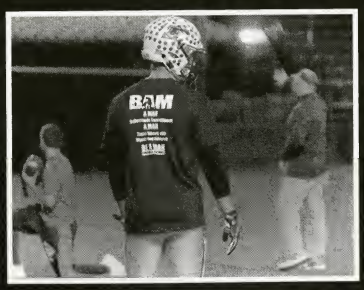

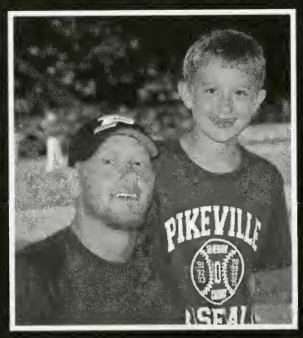

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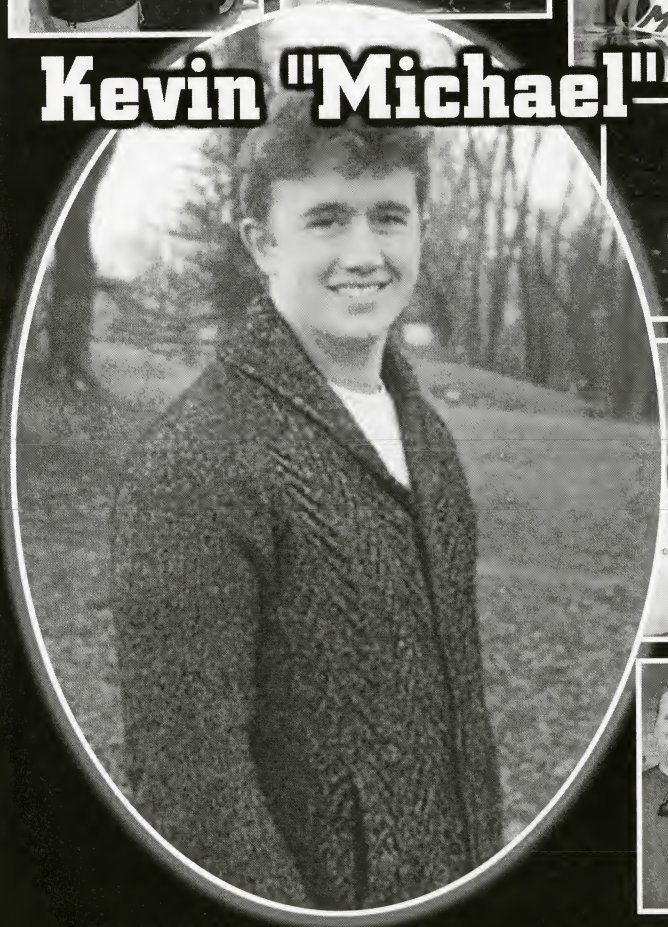

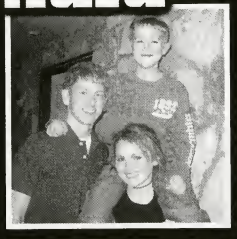

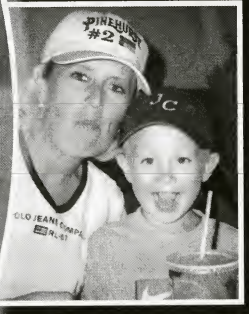

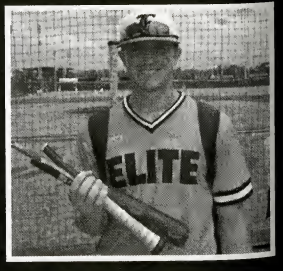

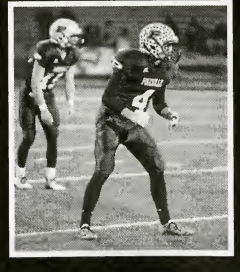

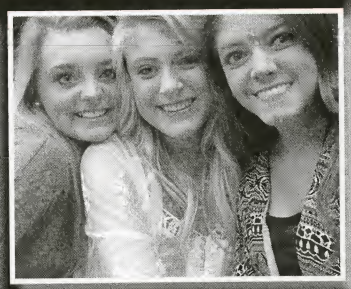

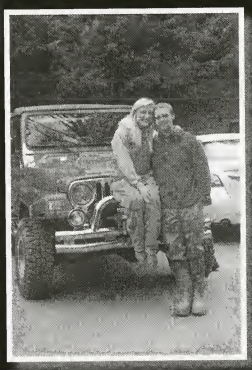

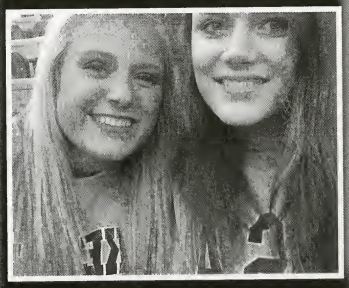

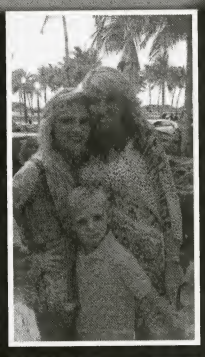

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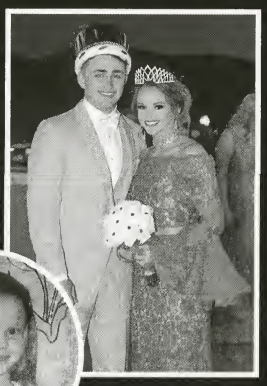

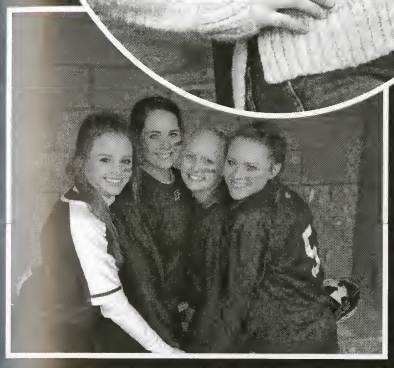

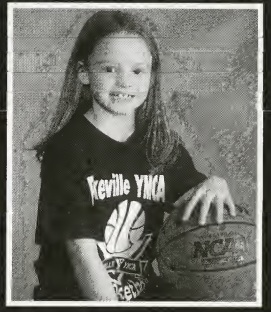
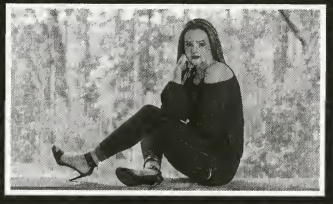

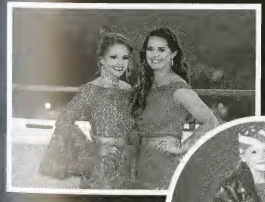

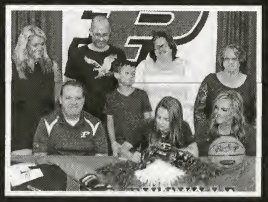

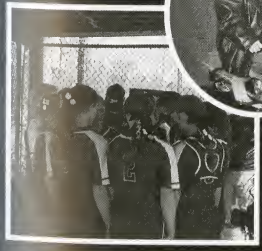
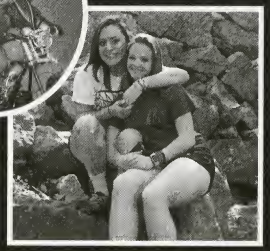

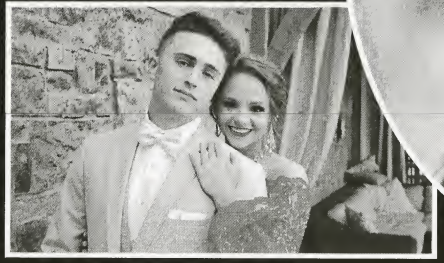

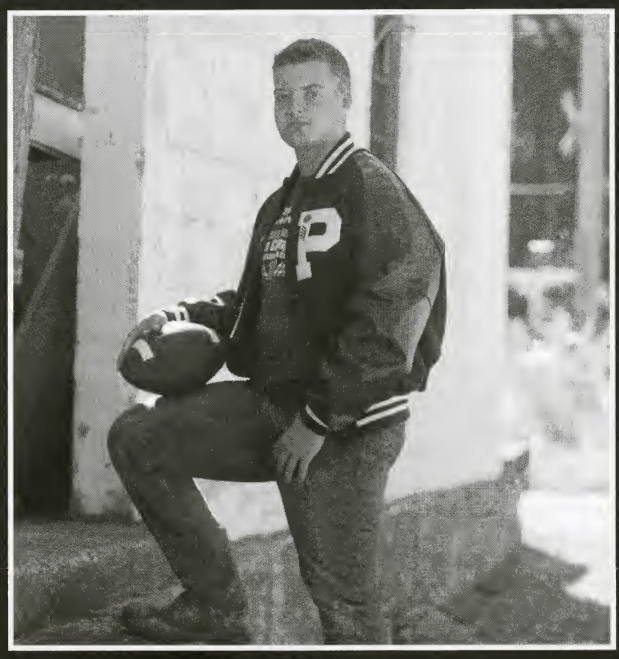

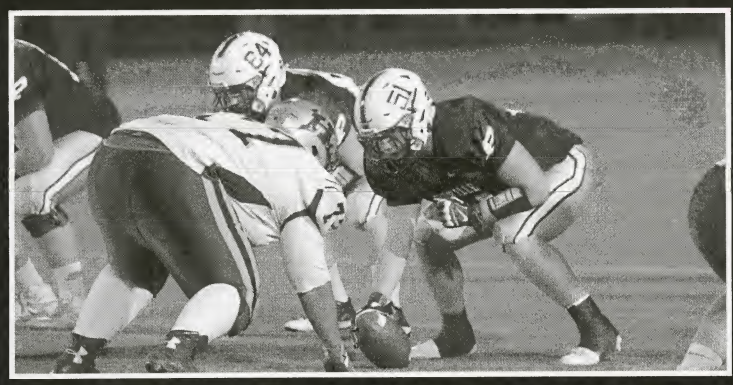

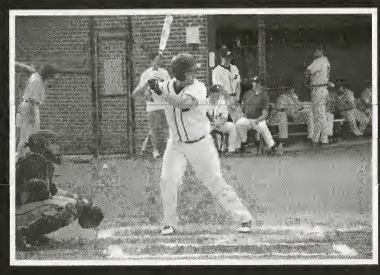

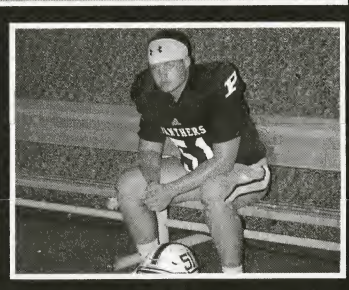

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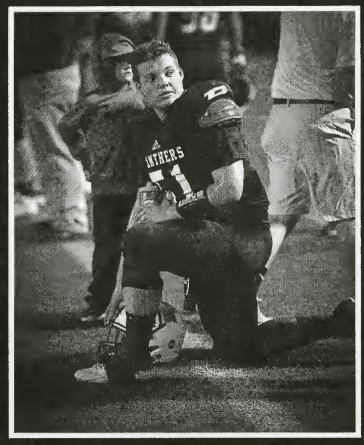

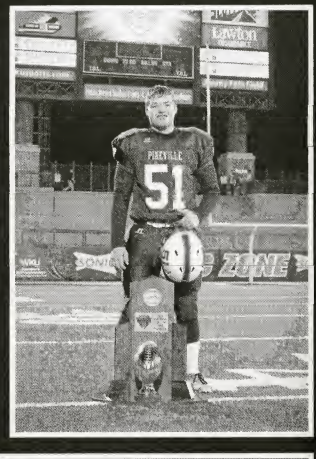

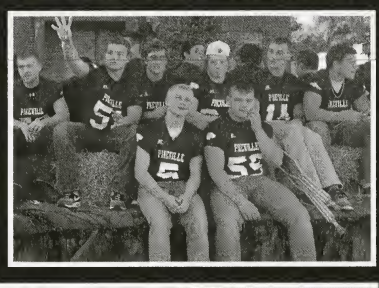

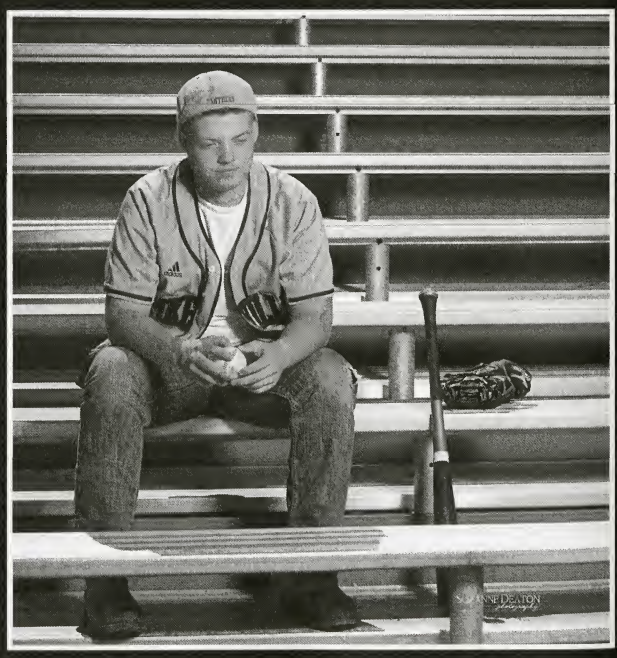

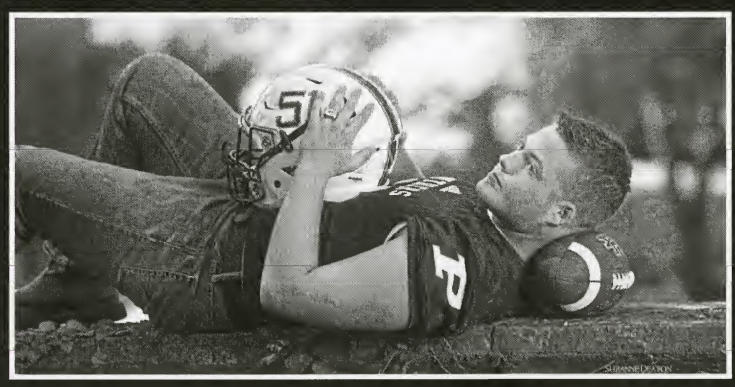

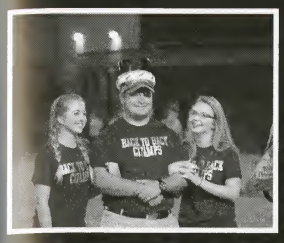

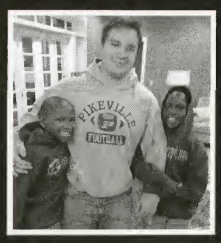

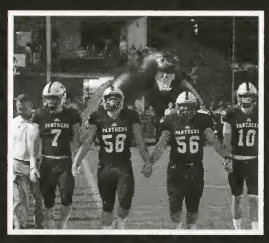

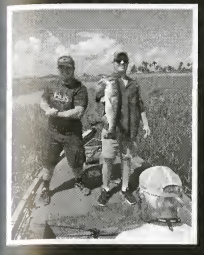

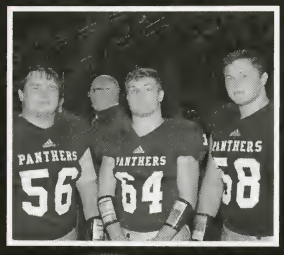

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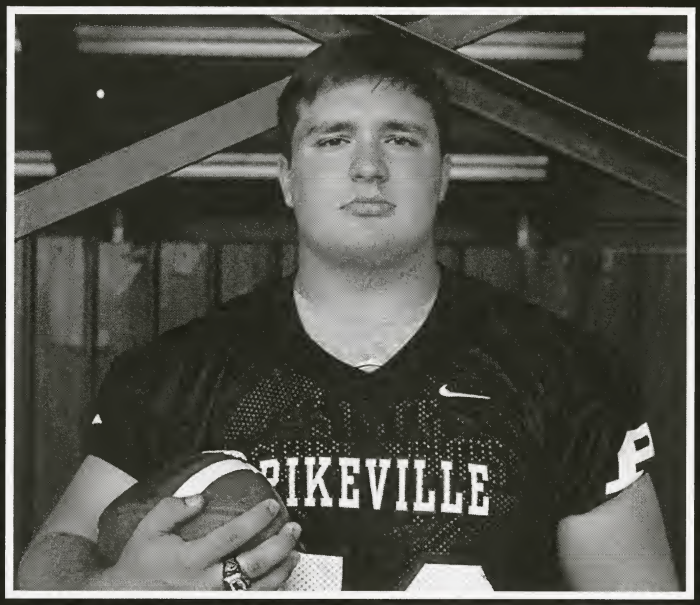

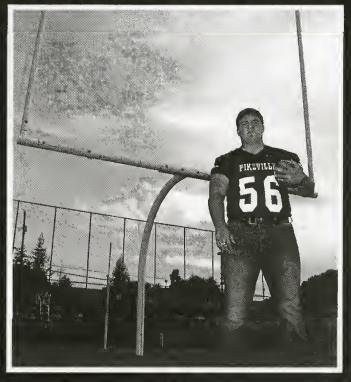

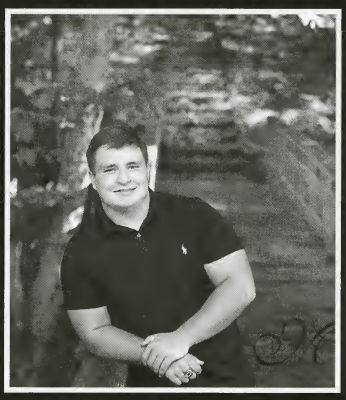

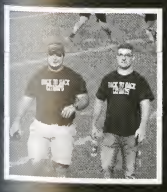

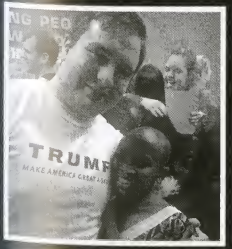

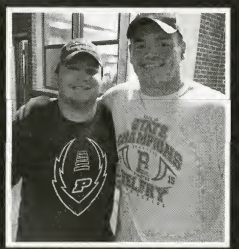

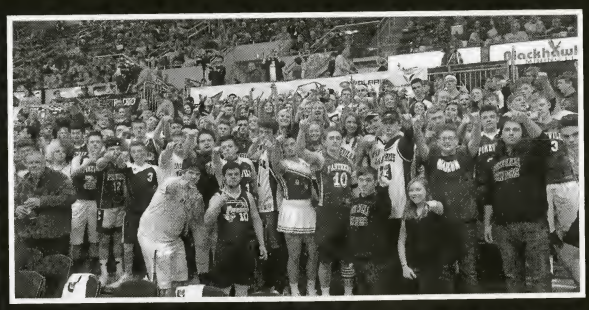

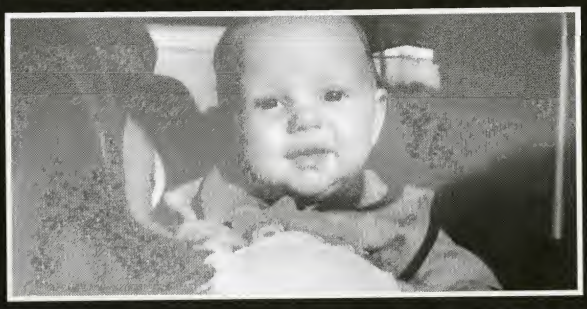

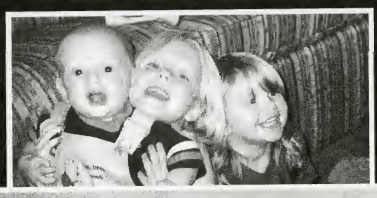

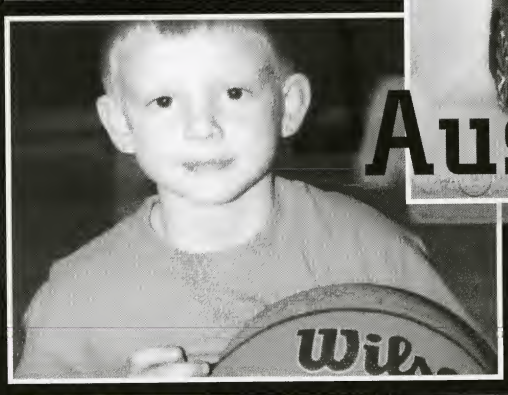
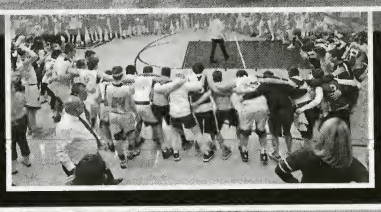
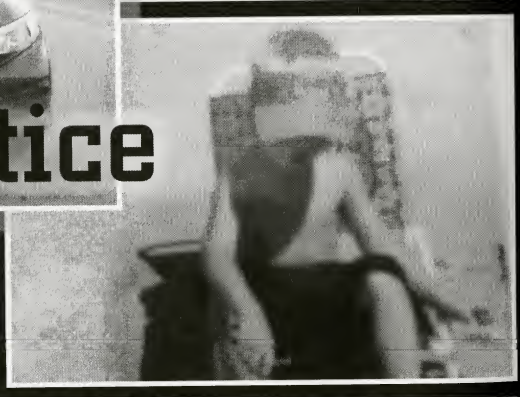

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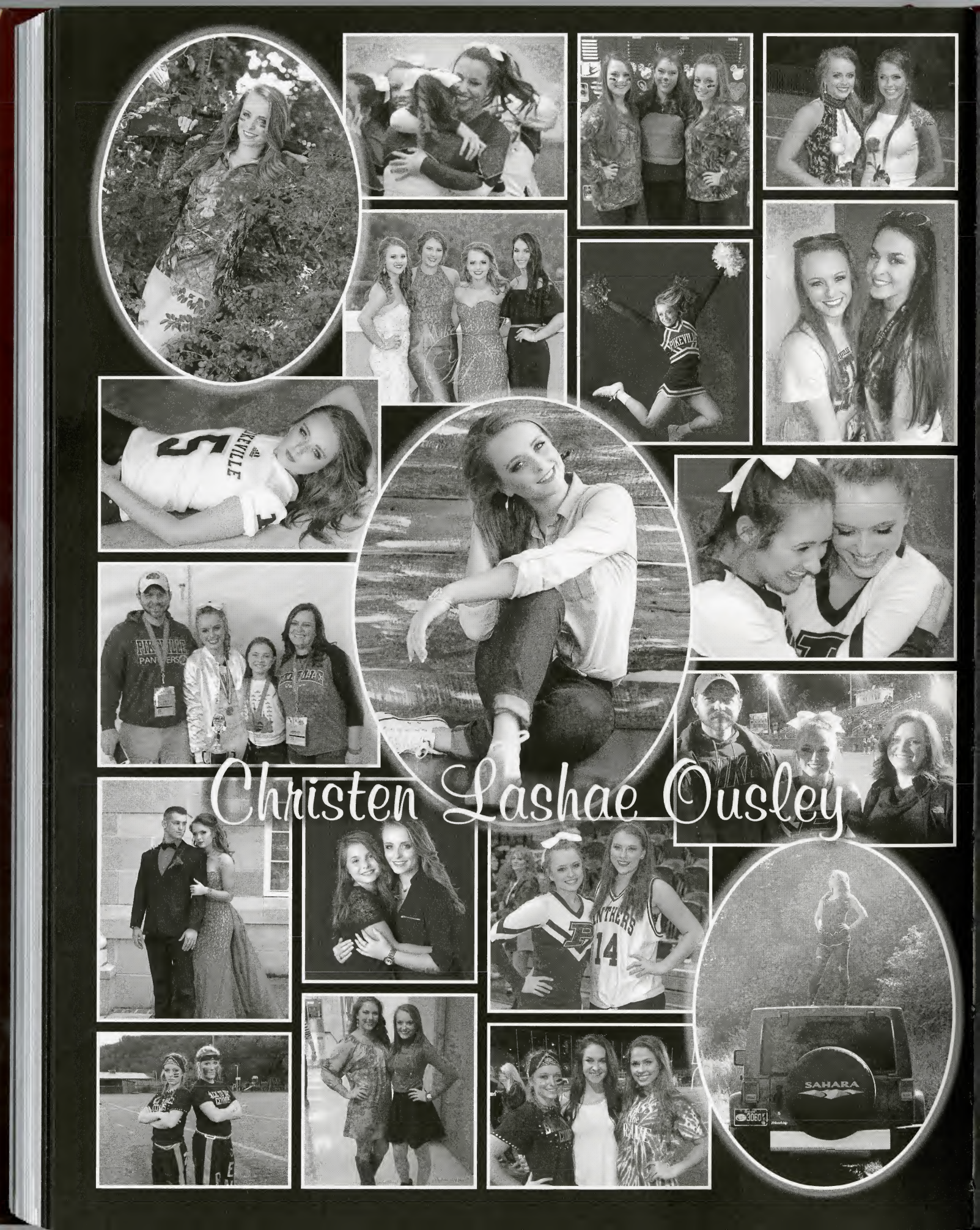
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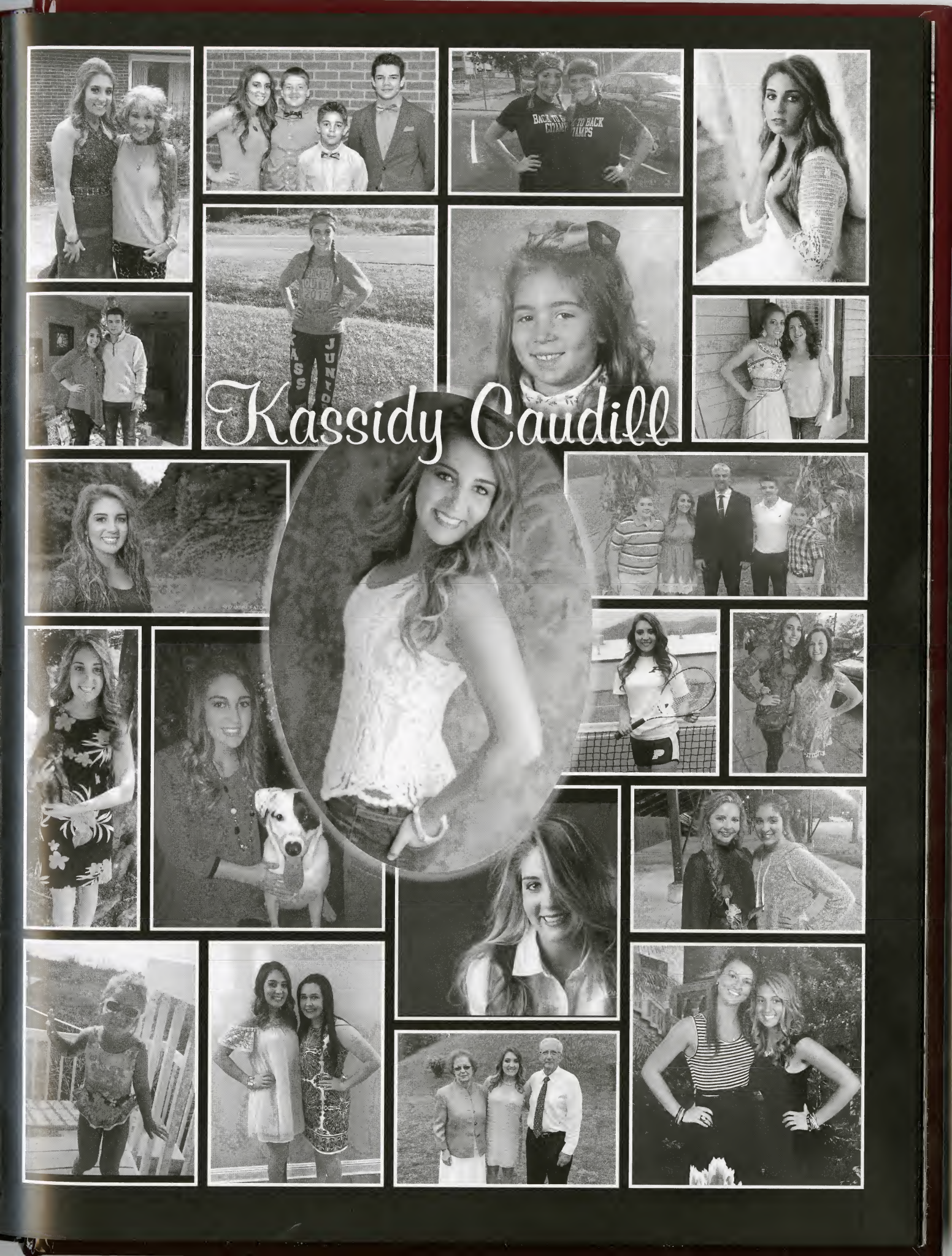
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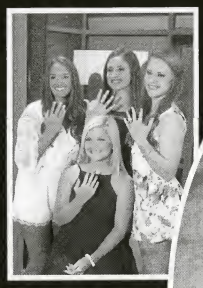

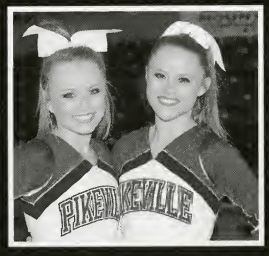

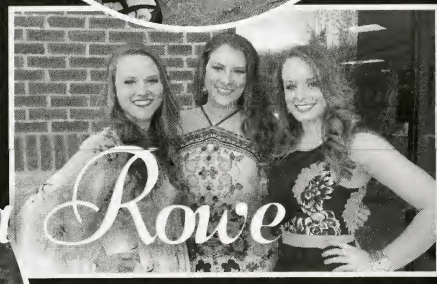

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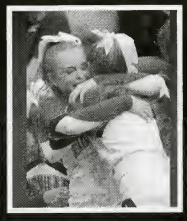

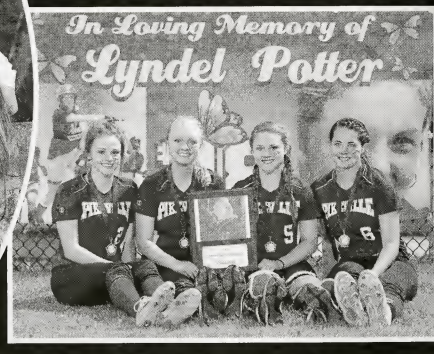
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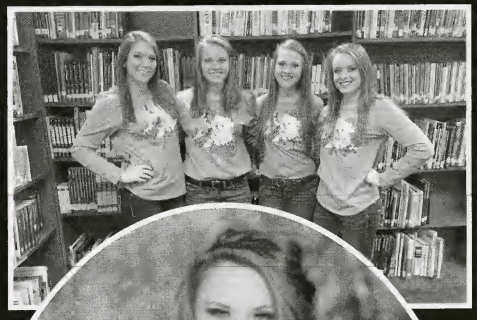
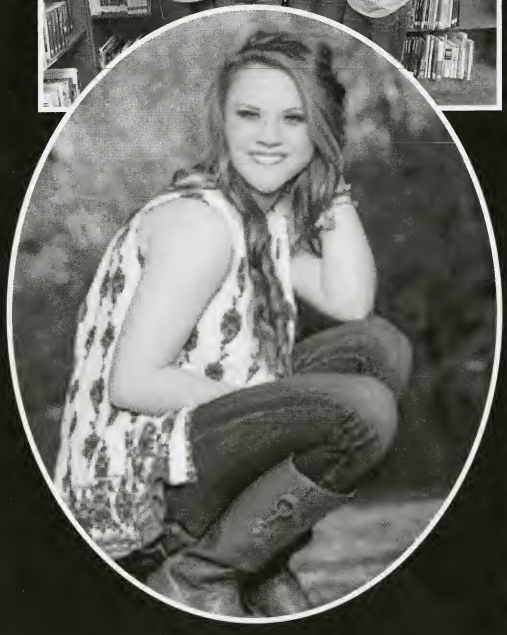
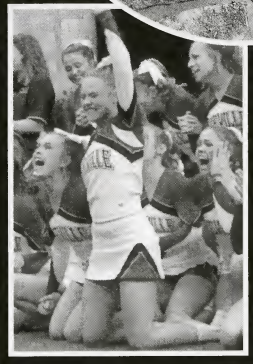

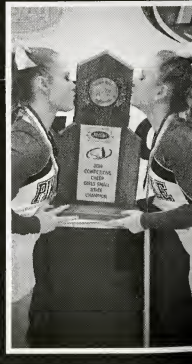

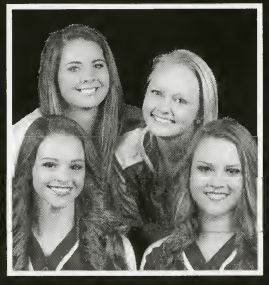
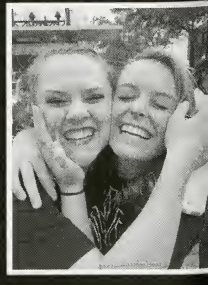

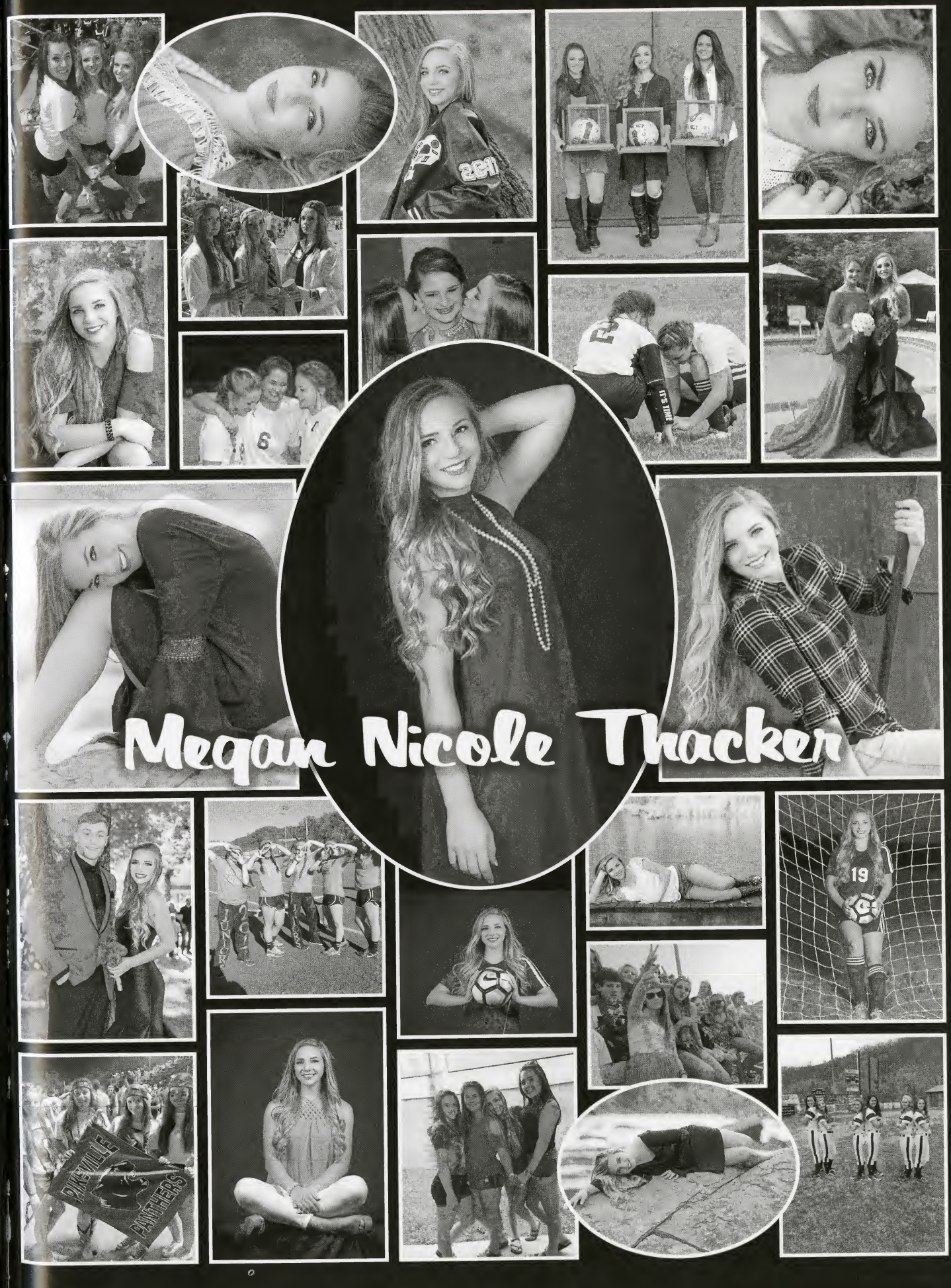
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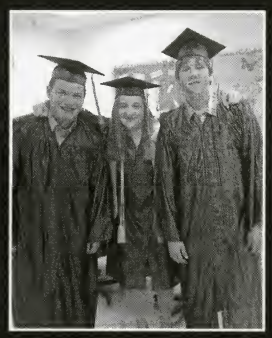

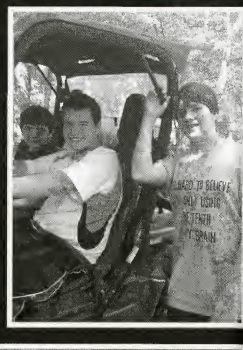

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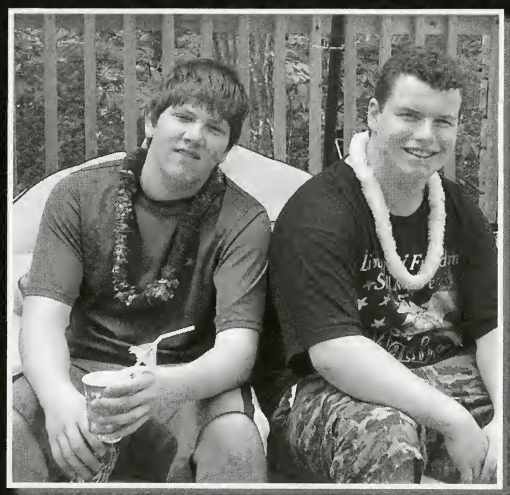

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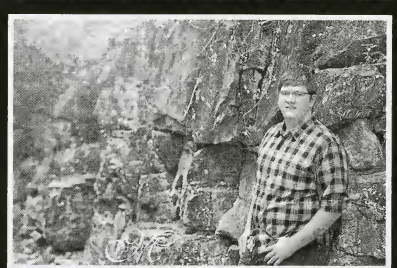

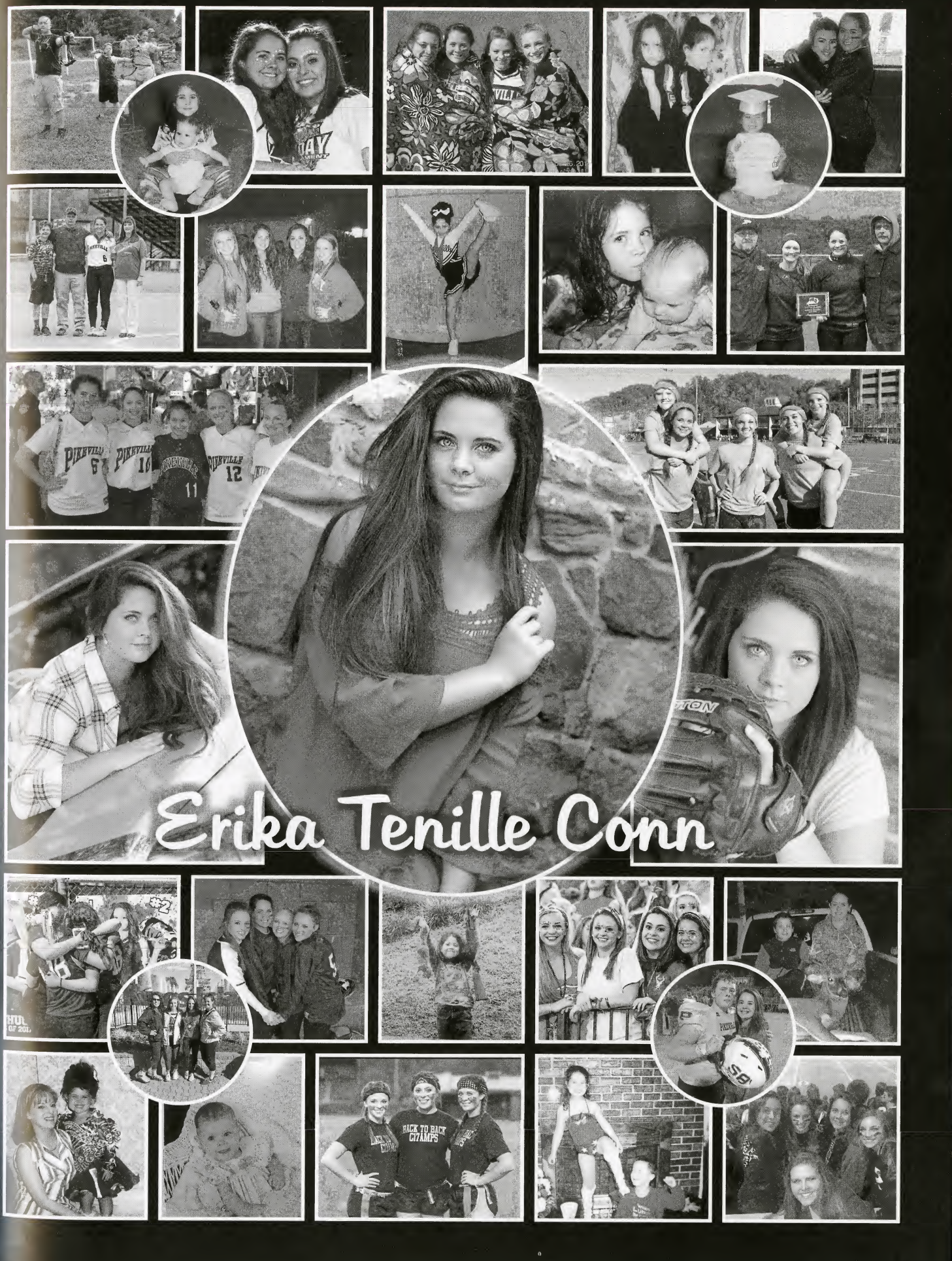
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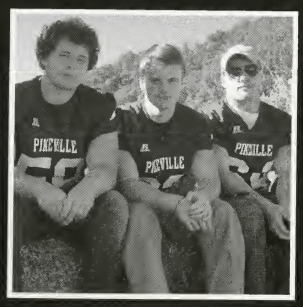

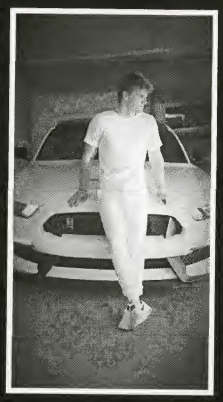

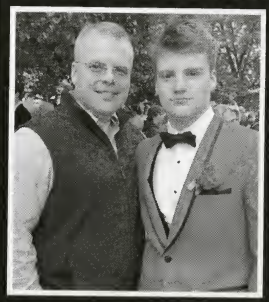

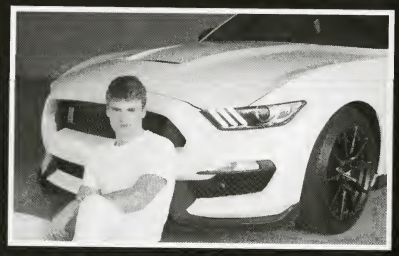
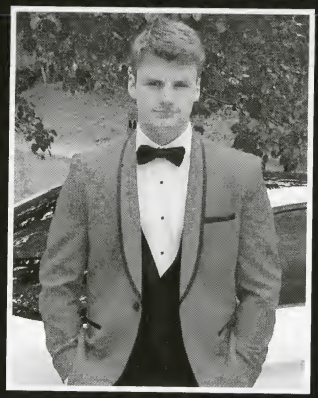
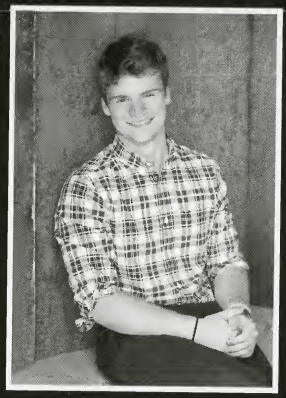
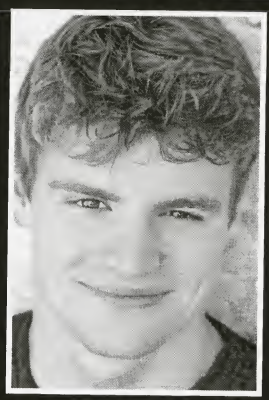
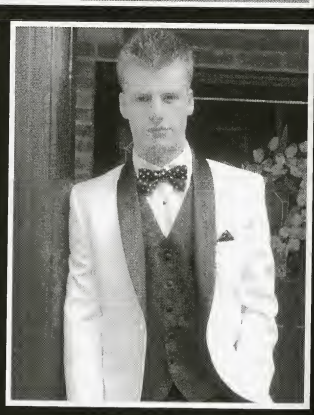

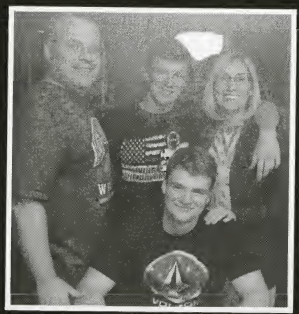
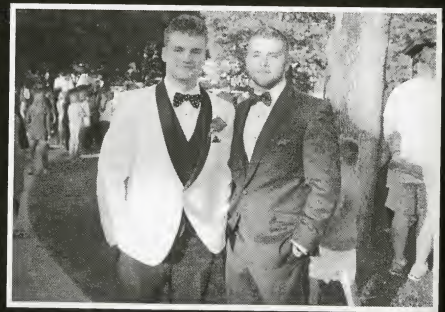

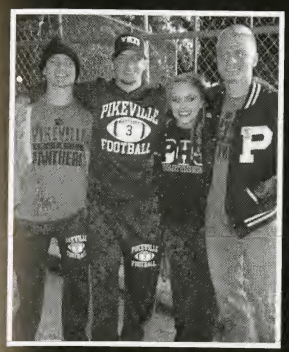

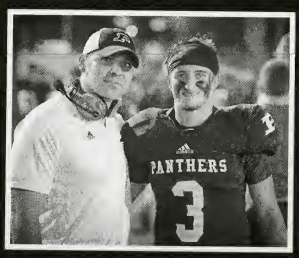

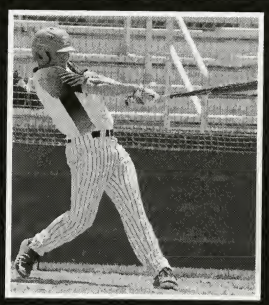

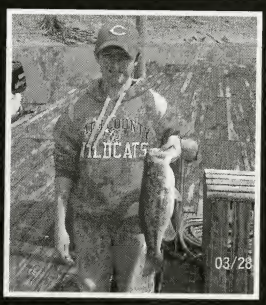

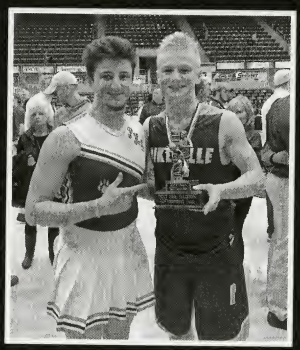

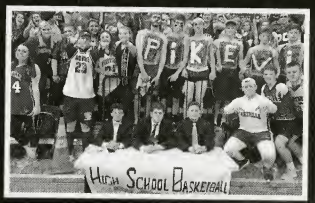

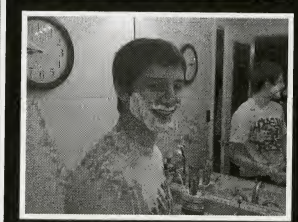

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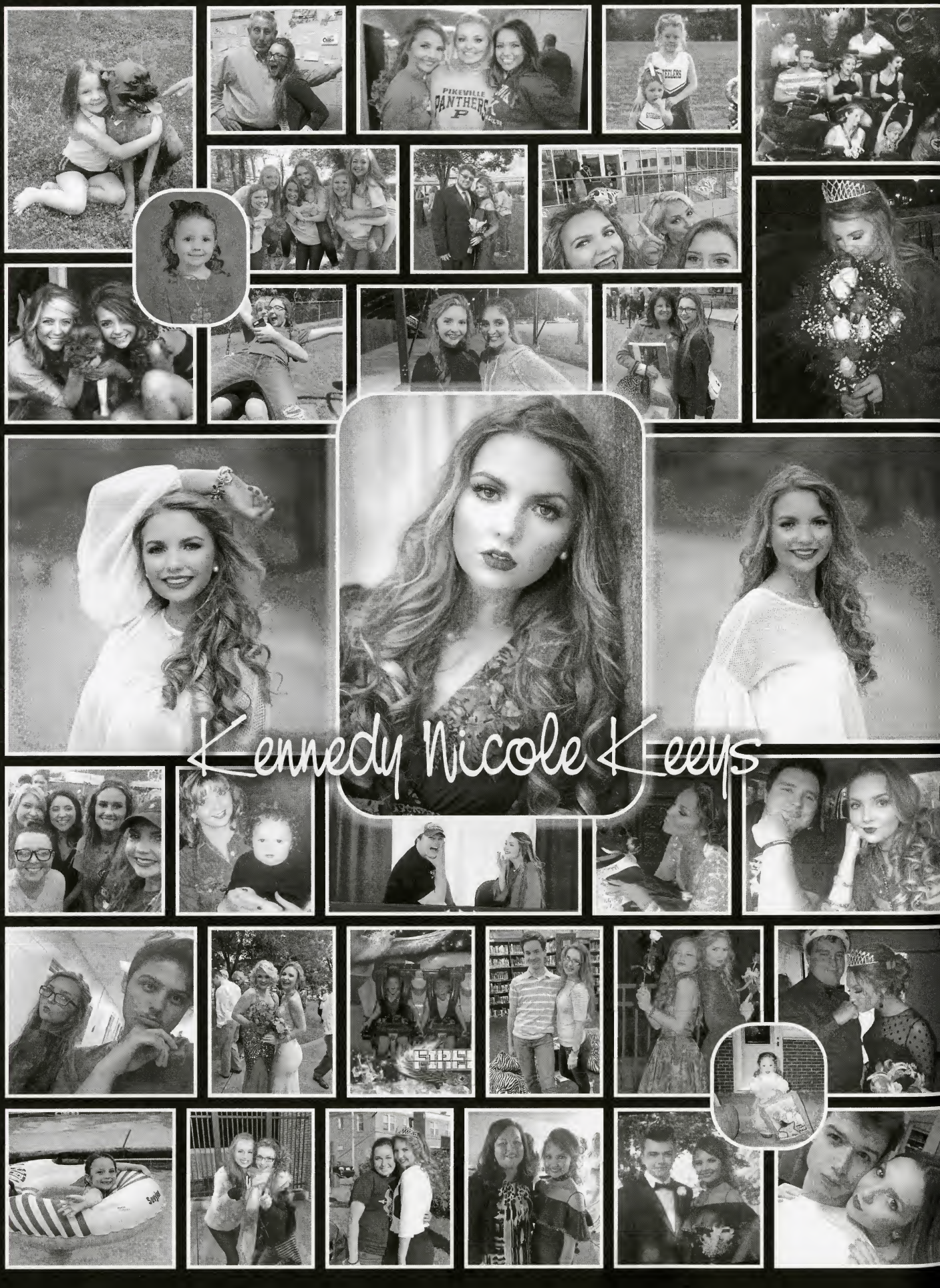
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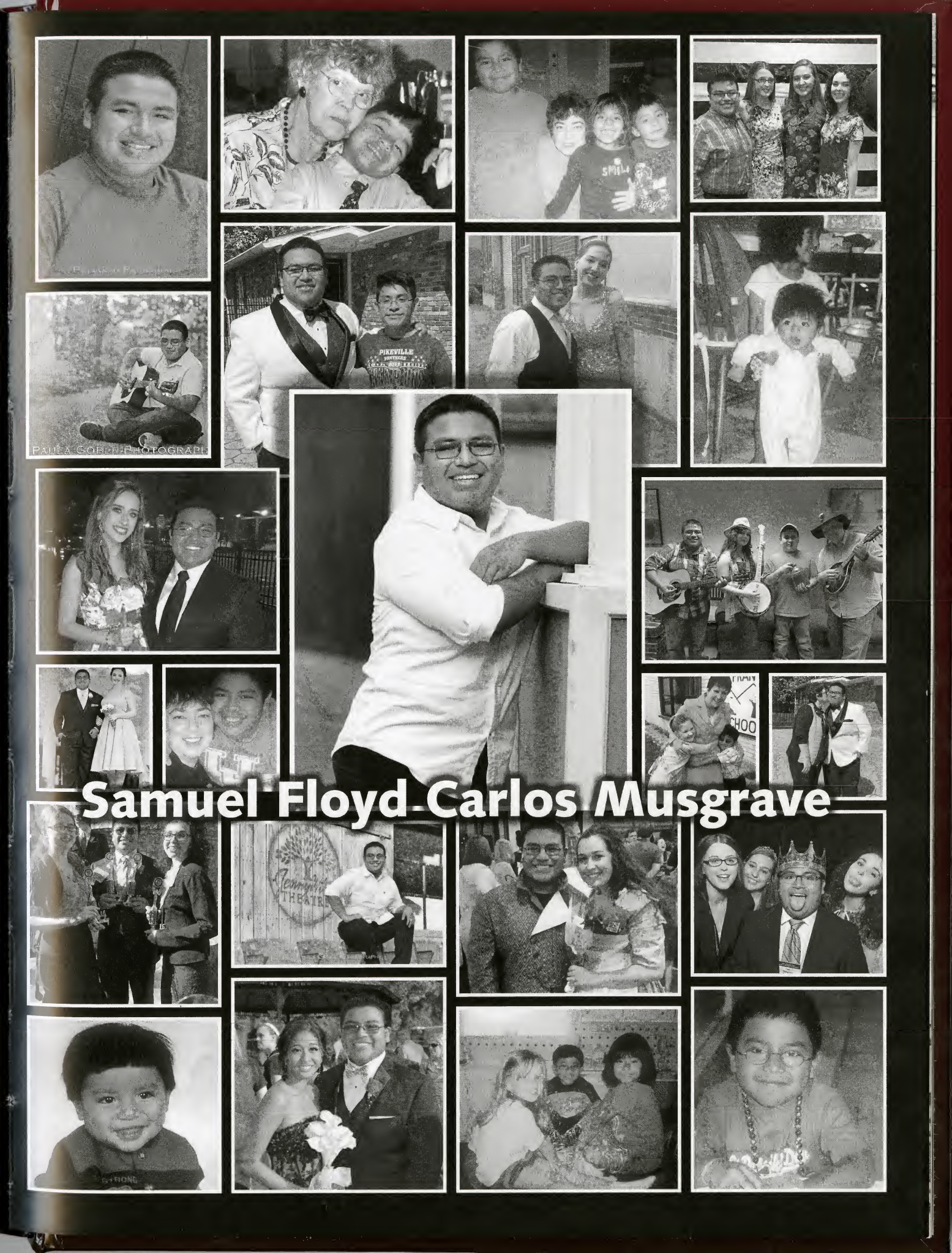
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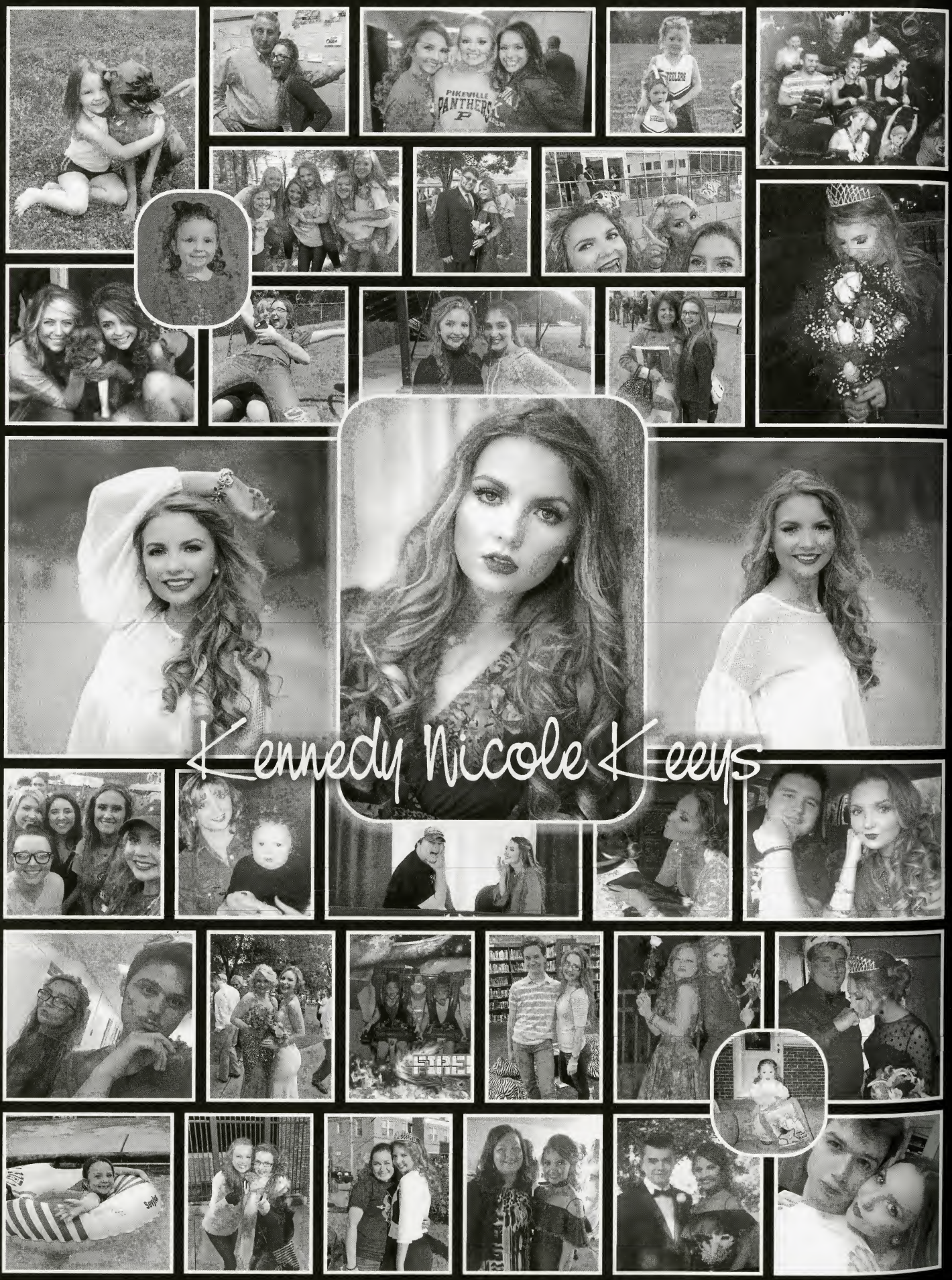
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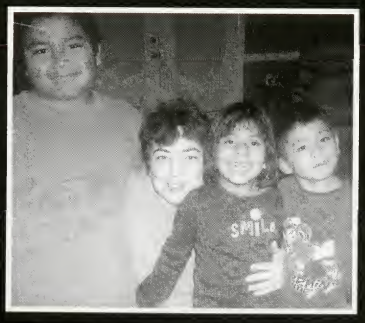

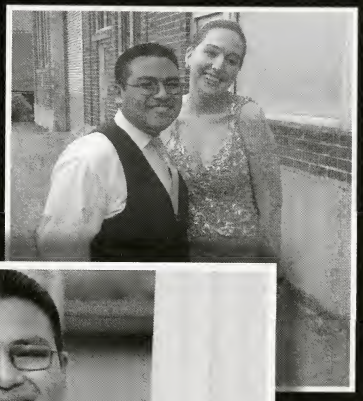

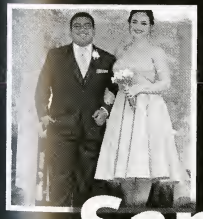

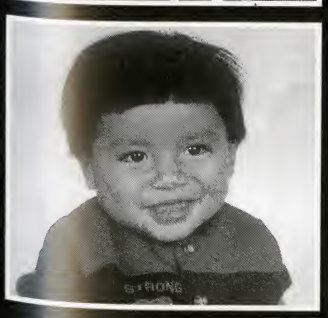

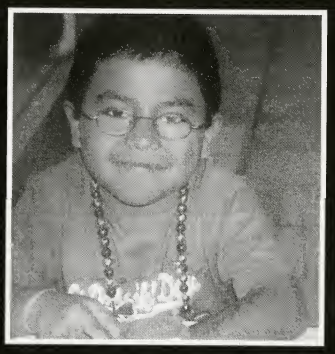

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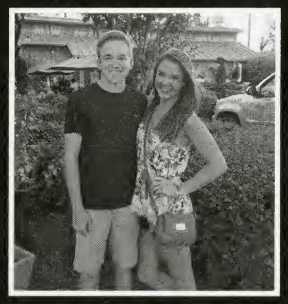

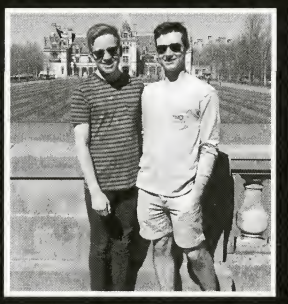

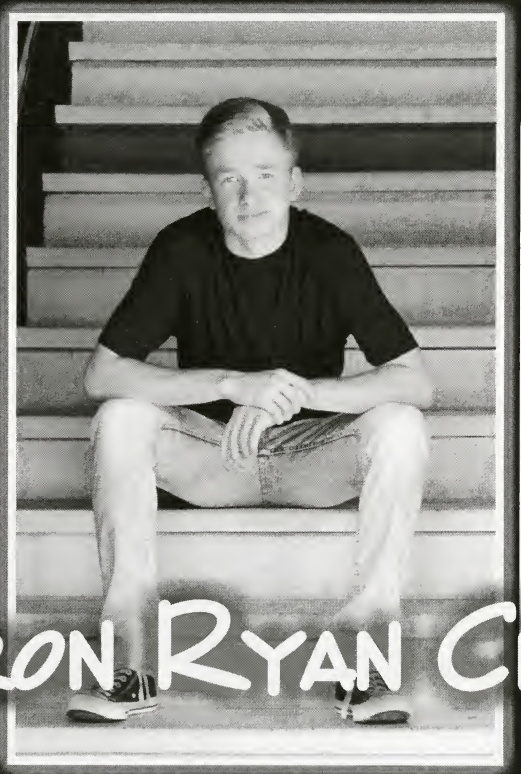
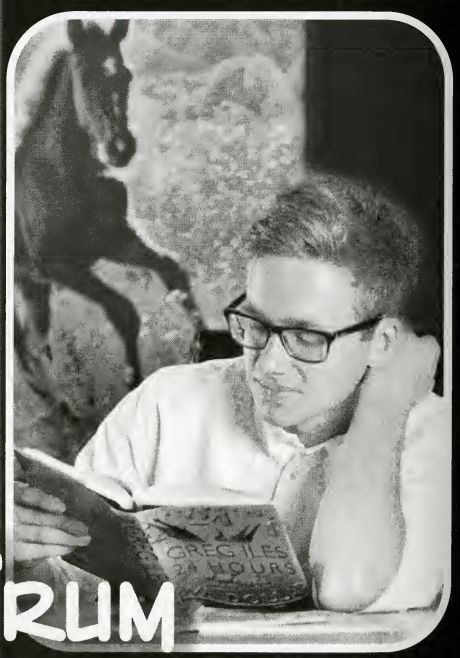

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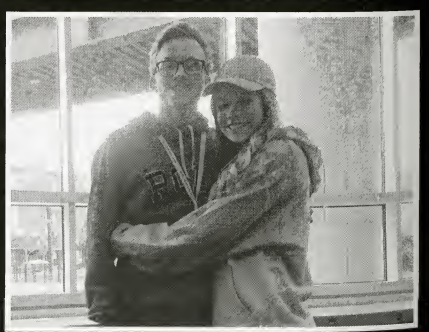

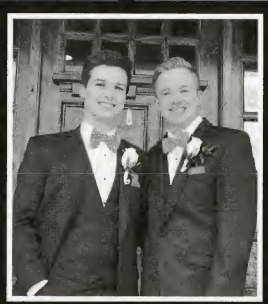

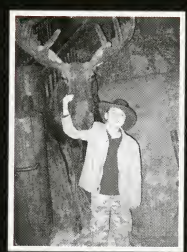

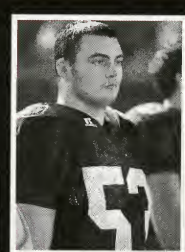
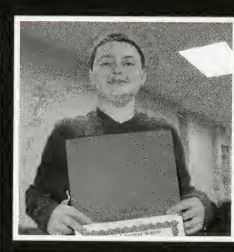

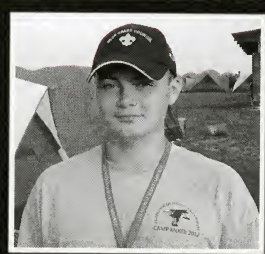

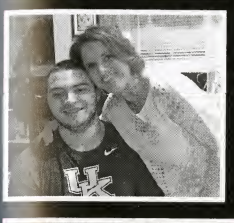

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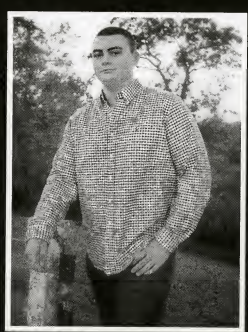
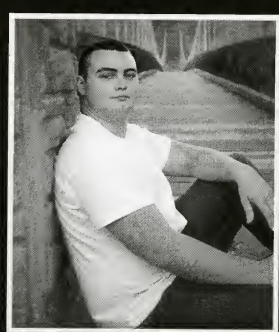

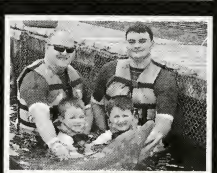
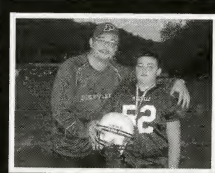

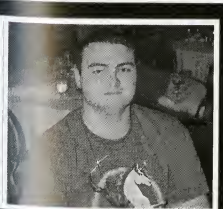

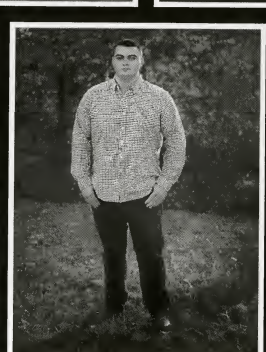

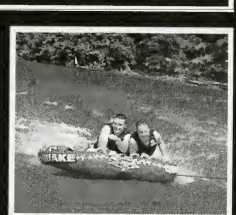

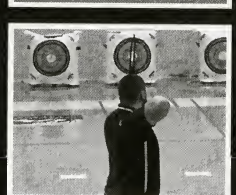

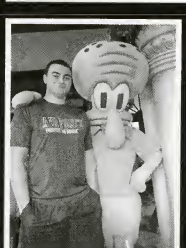

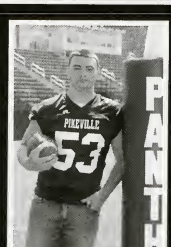

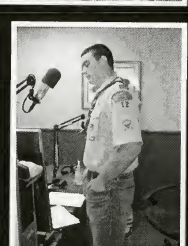

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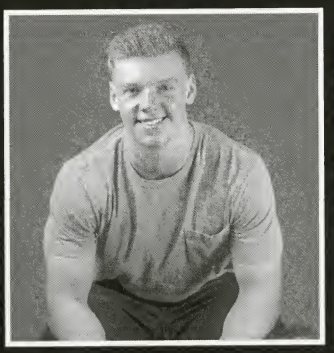

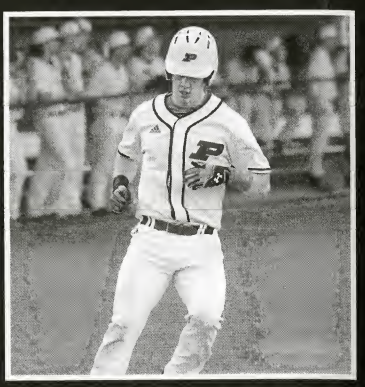

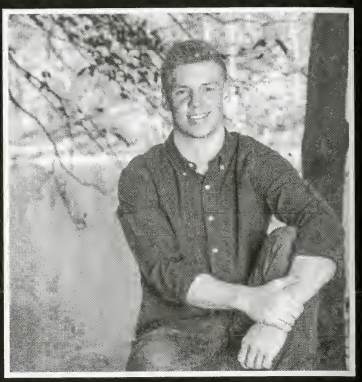

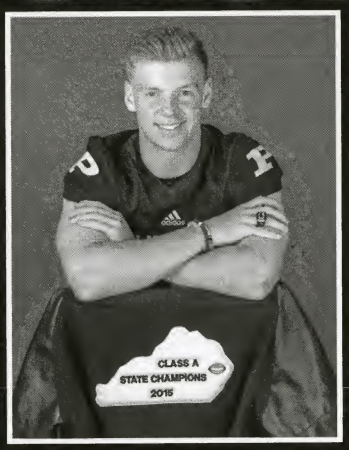

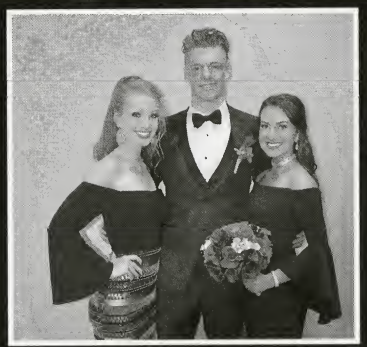

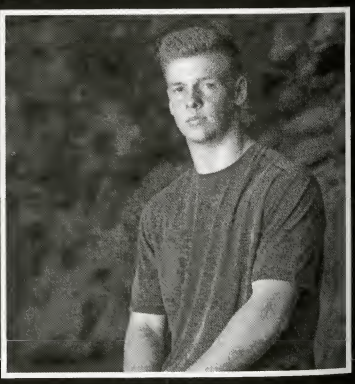

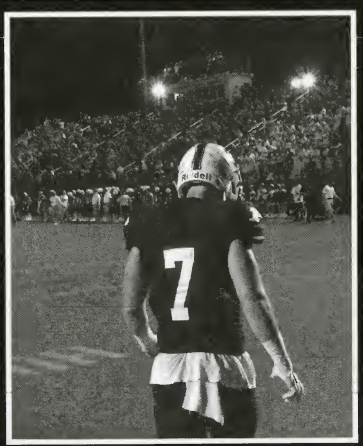

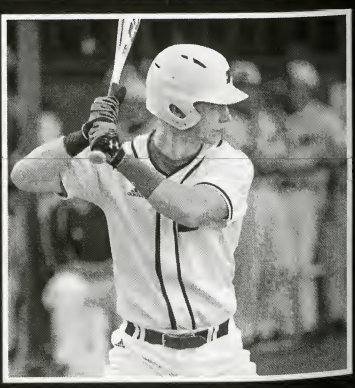

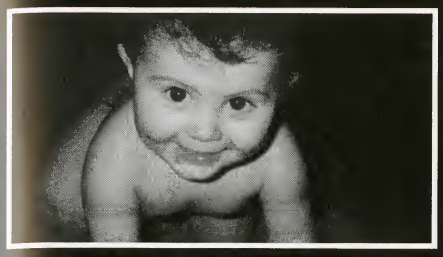

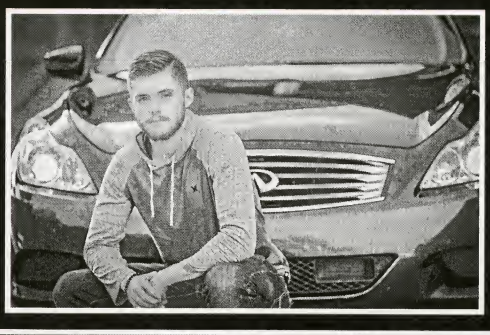

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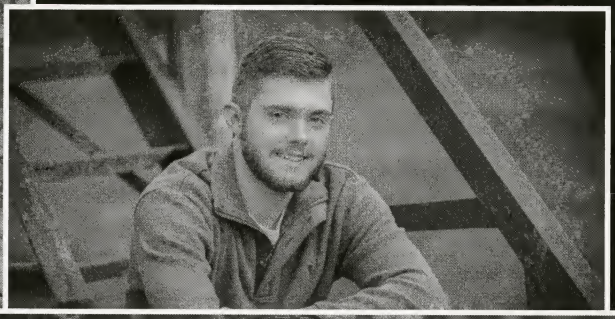

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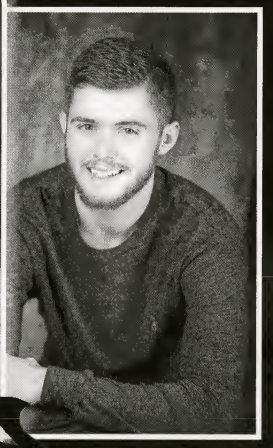

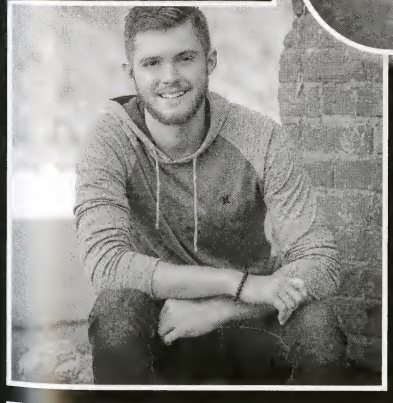

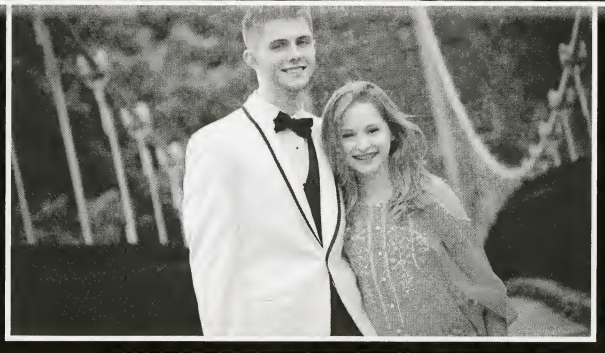

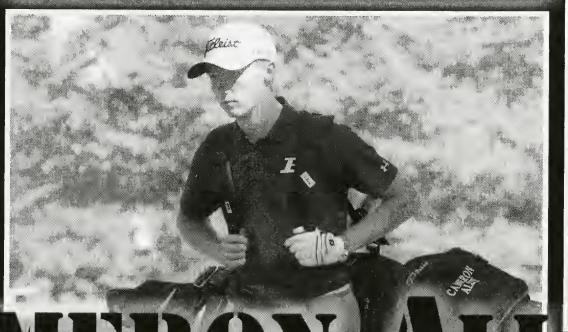
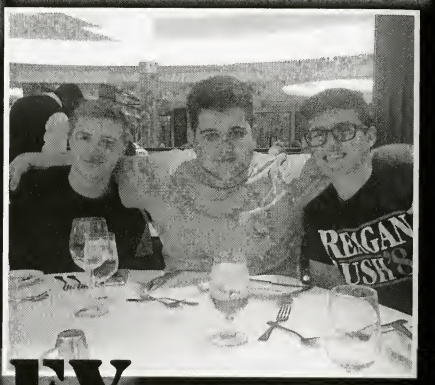

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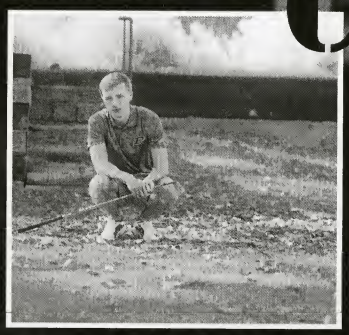
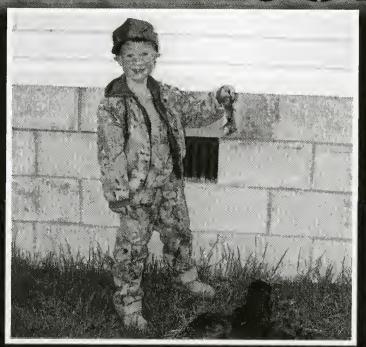
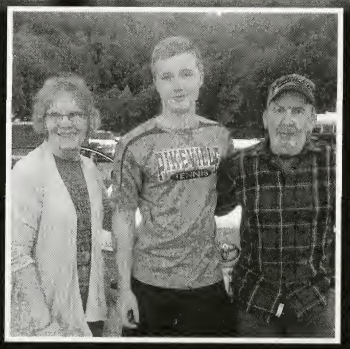
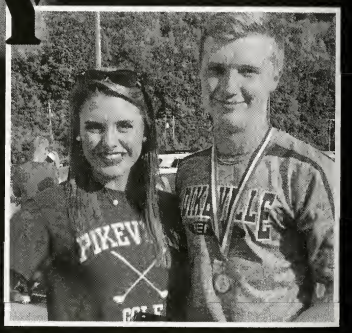
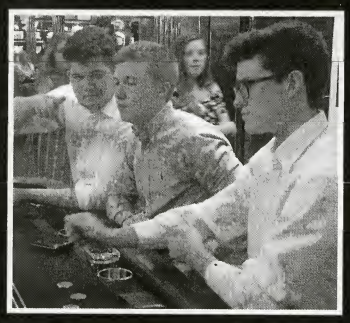

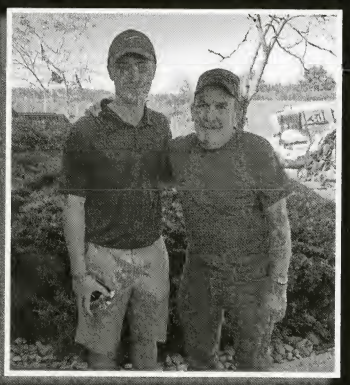

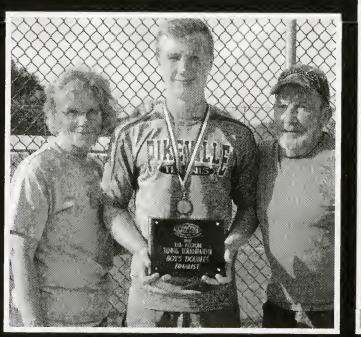

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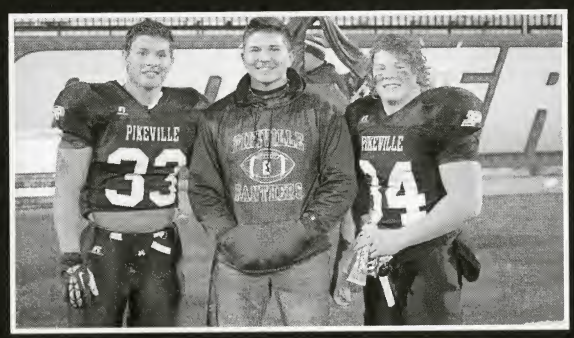

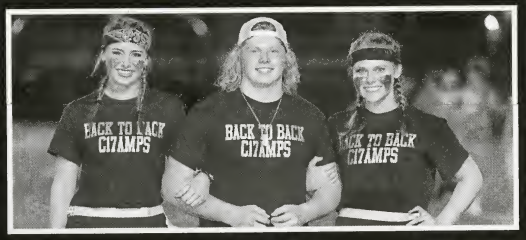

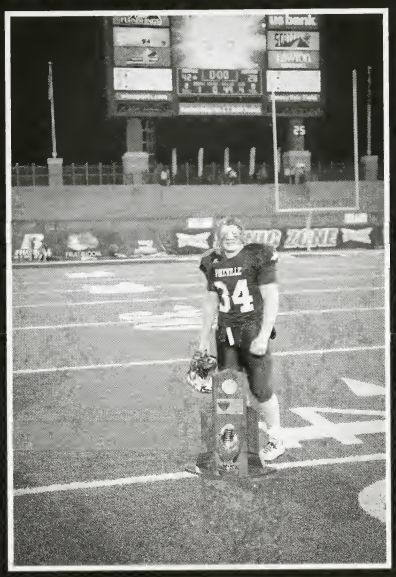

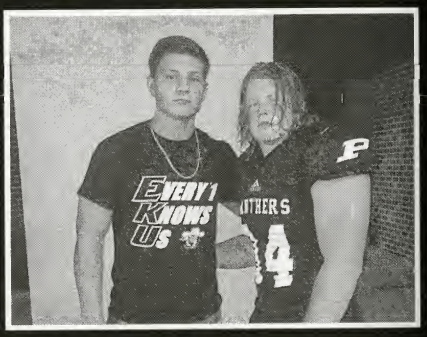

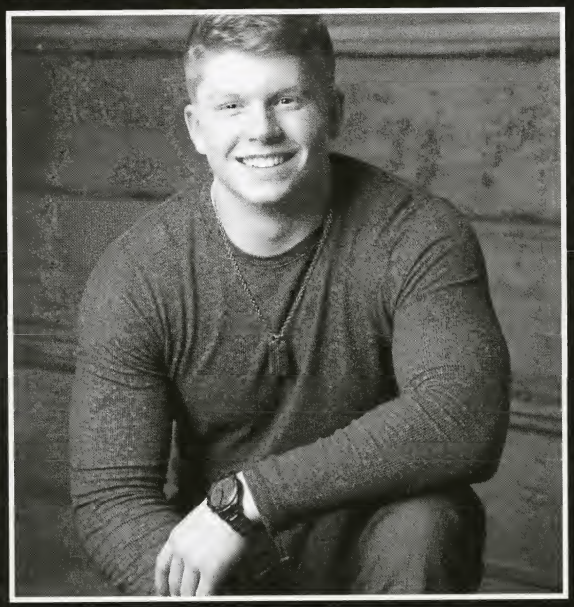

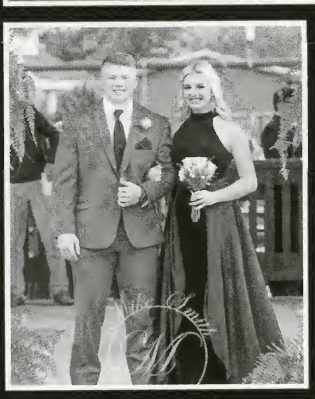

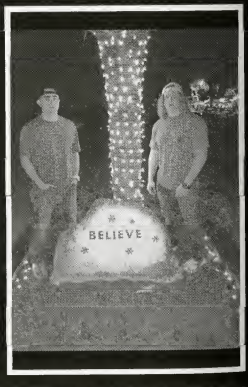

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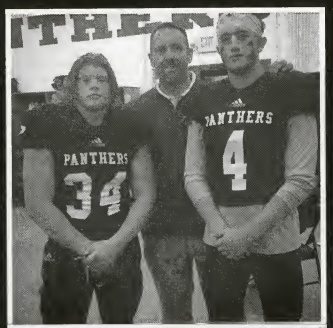

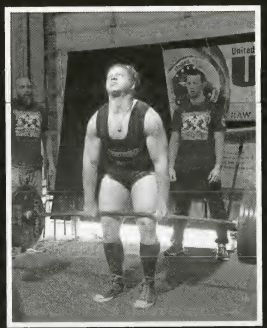

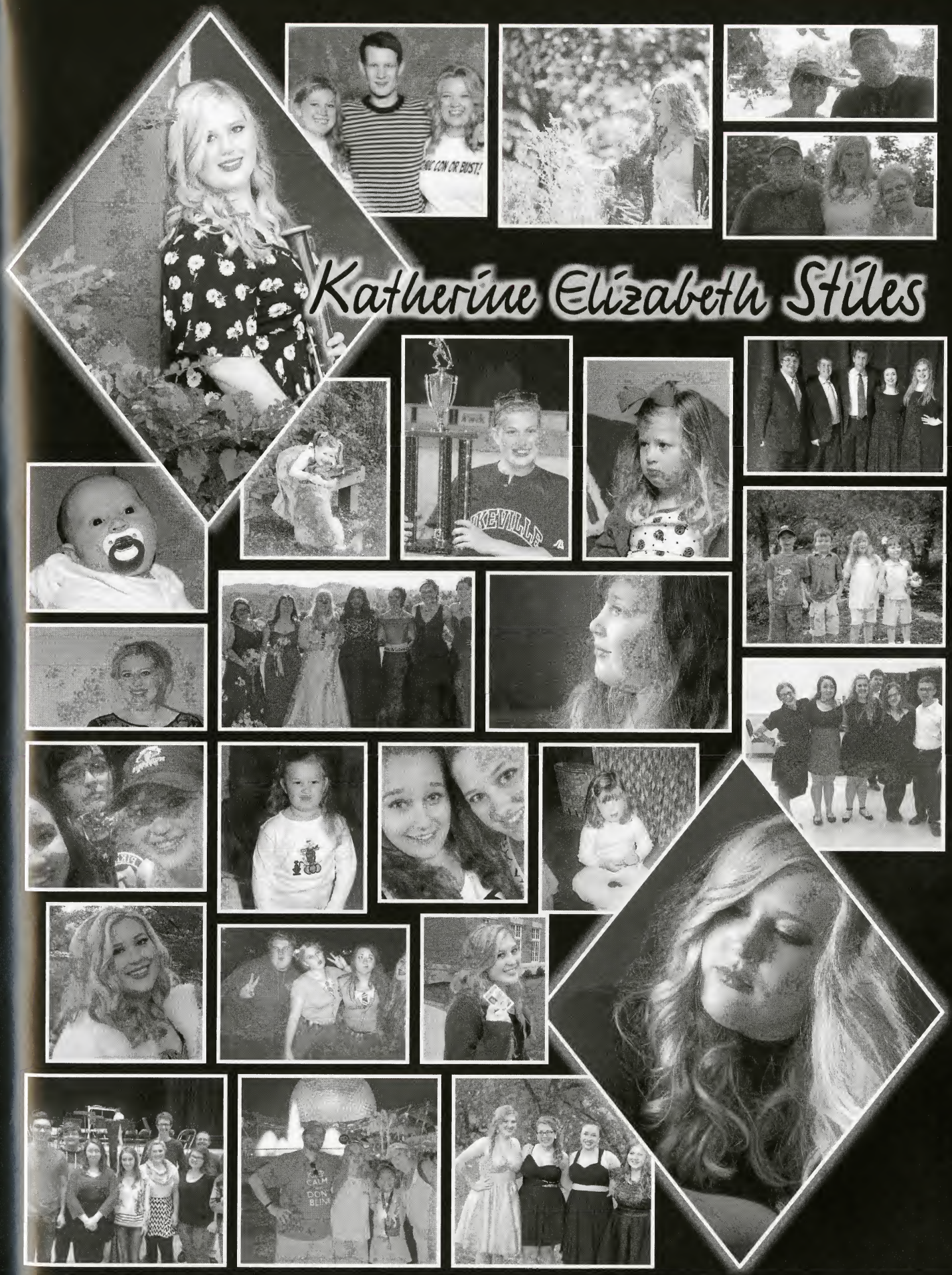
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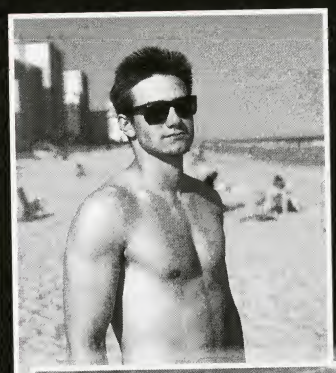
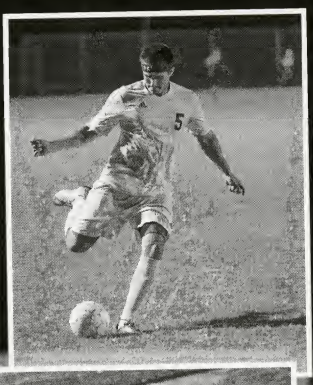

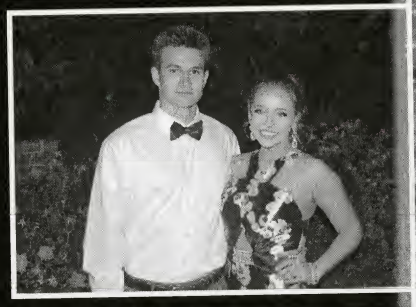
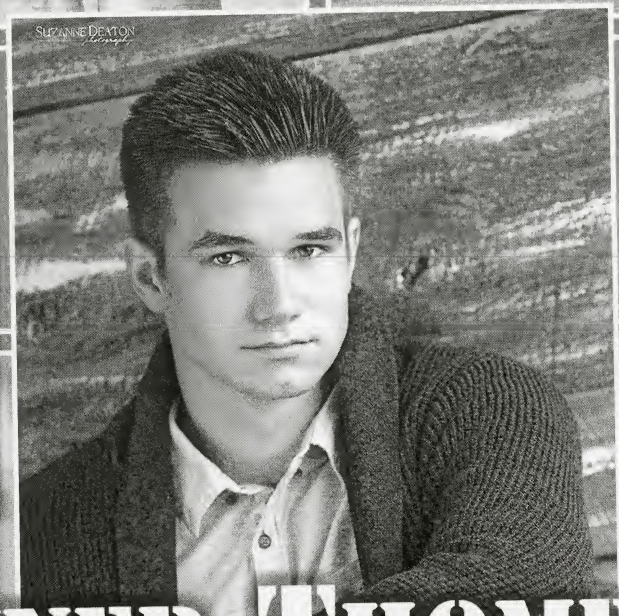

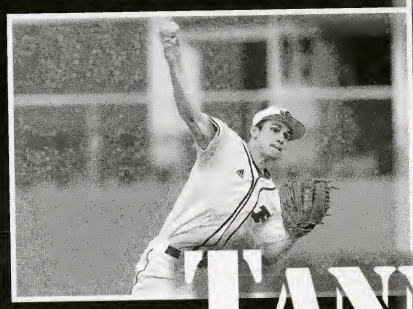

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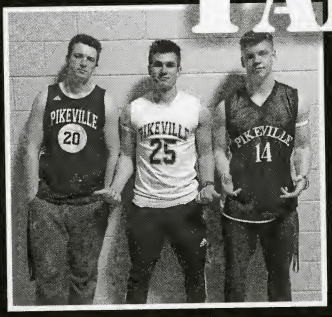

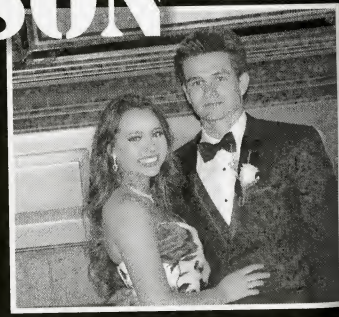
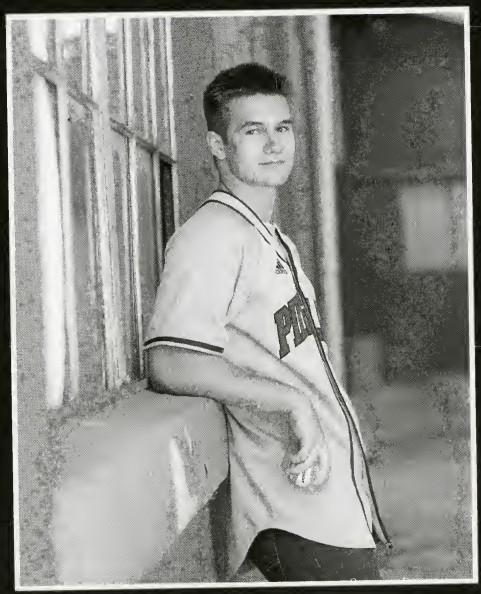

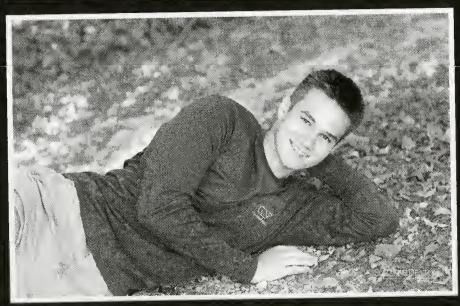
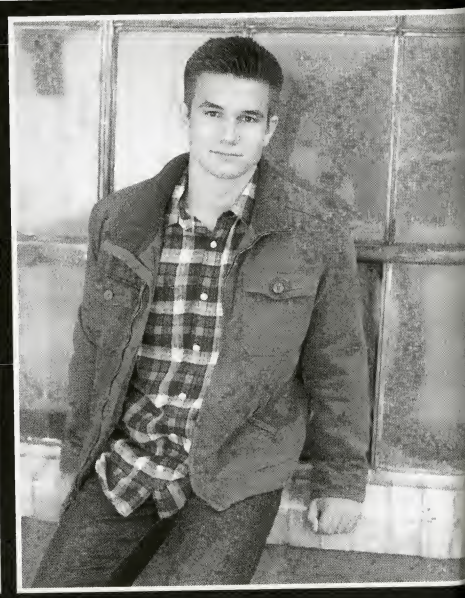

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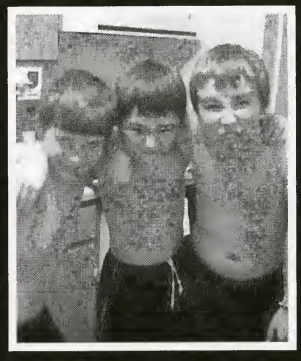

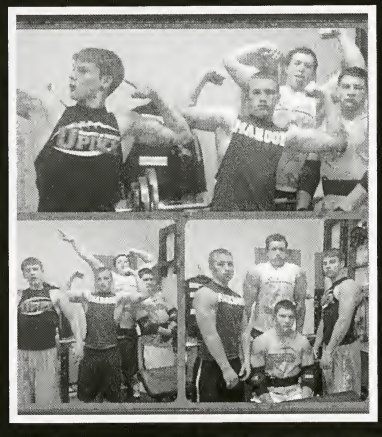

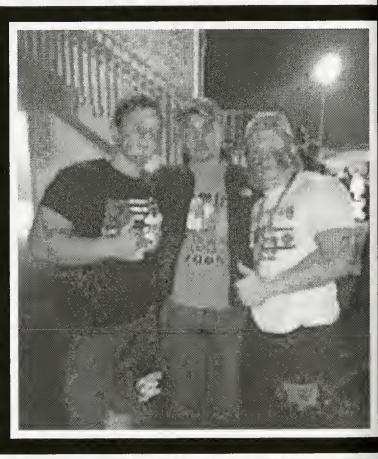

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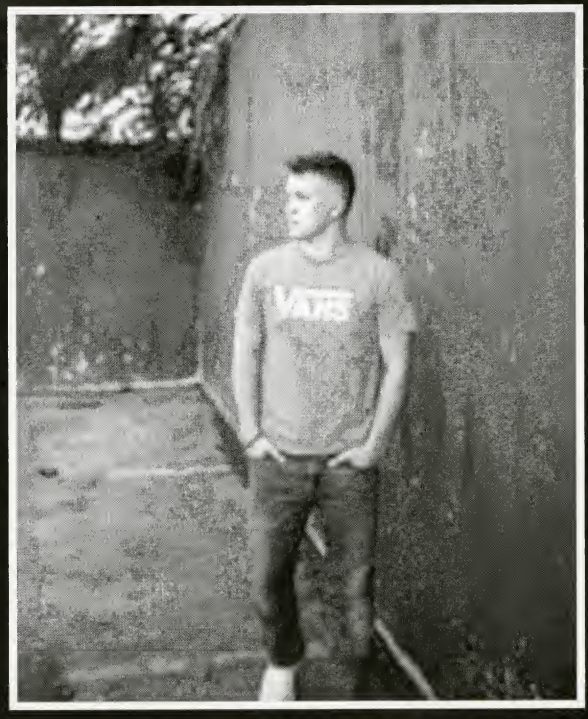

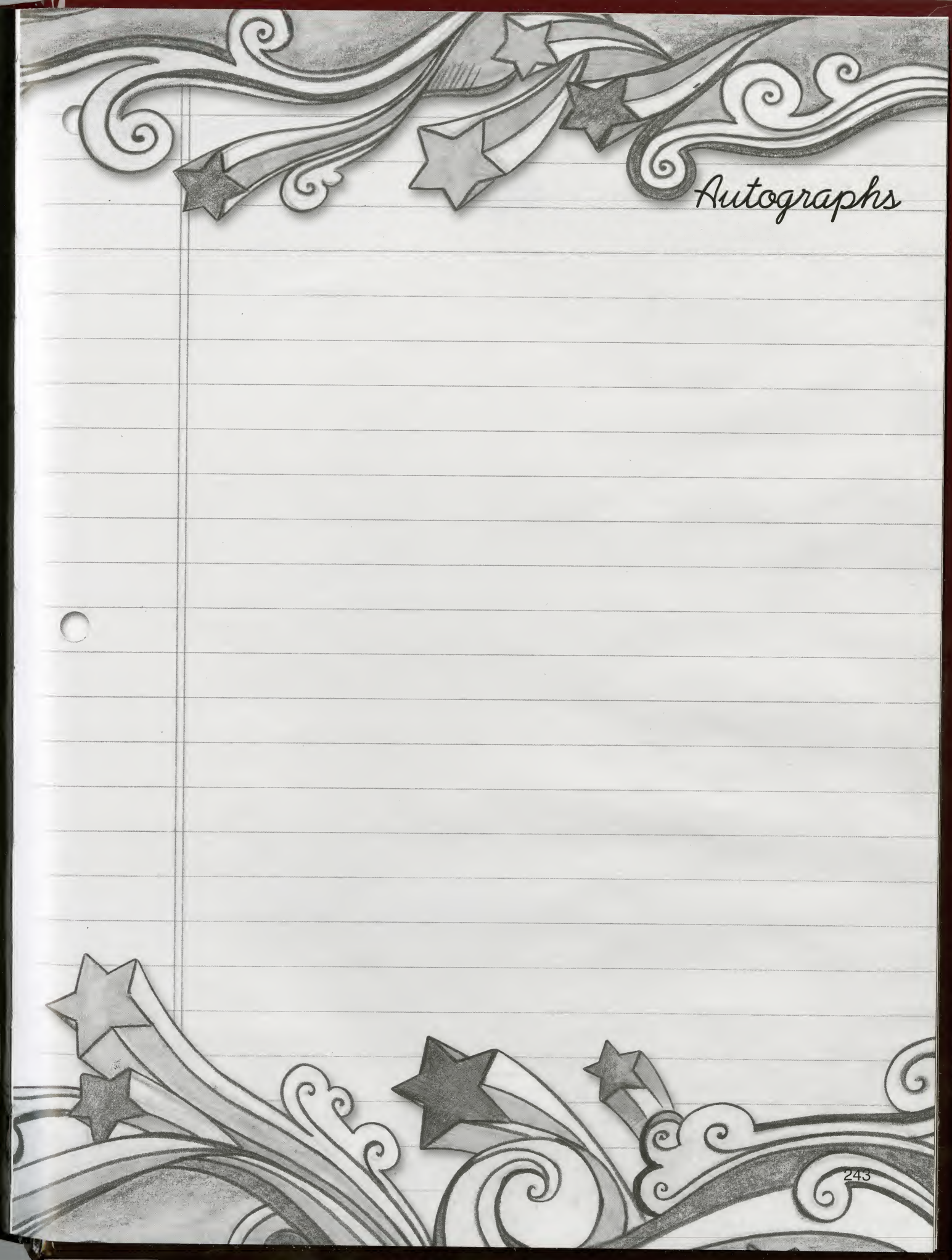
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